

MERCHANT BEATEN AND ROBBED BY POLICEMAN

MANY LIVES MENACED BY FIERCE FIRE

Water Front Flames
Threaten Much
Property.

More than a hundred lives were endangered this morning by a fierce fire that raged around 500 gallons of gasoline on the schooner *Jessie Matsen*, lying at the Hunt, Hatch & Company wharf on the water front.

Captain Hansen of the gasoline boat was the first to discover the flames, which had mounted to the sky and had enveloped the mainmast in a pillar of fiery tongues. An alarm was immediately turned in and Chief N. K. Ball and his men promptly responded.

Before their arrival one of the five tanks of gasoline lying on the deck was completely smothered in flames. Unheeding the cries of the spectators, the firemen rushed to what many thought was certain death because the tank was liable to explode at any minute owing to the intense heat.

Ball and his men soon had a stream playing on the blazing vessel and after heroic work on the part of the firemen the flames were confined to the after part of the schooner.

A. Ginox, representing Hunt, Hatch & Company, the owners of the vessel, stated the ship was valued at \$7000, of which amount a loss of more than half will be made by the fire.

The big warehouse of the company, adjoining the ship was saved. It had an insurance on it of \$10,000.

Captain Hansen said that he believed the fire was due to a leakage of oil, which came in contact with a spark. No one was injured, though a hundred or more spectators, who crowded around the burning vessel ignorant of its cargo, might have been killed were it not for the work of the firemen.

FIRE CAUSES RUNAWAY.

A horse belonging to S. E. R. Drucker of Drucker's Express, Second and Franklin streets, became frightened by a fire engine going to the scene of the fire and attempted to break loose from its fastening to a telegraph pole.

The animal's frantic efforts caused it to rear and fall and were it not for the prompt arrival of Drucker and others the valuable horse would have strangled to death, as the tie rope was still around his neck when he fell.

Traffic on the Webster street branch of the Southern Pacific was delayed for several minutes on account of the lines of hose being stretched across the track.

JAIL CELL AWAITING A POET

BERKELEY, Oct. 18.—Ild John Boyd, the town poet and philosopher of Berkeley, who has made himself famous some dozen or more times by pointed utterances on questions of the day, has got himself into trouble with the Berkeley police. A warrant is out for his arrest on the charge of disturbing the peace. The complainant is E. A. Schmidt, who avers that Boyd called him divers vulgar names, after an altercation over the settlement of a bill.

THREATENS TO MURDER TWO HIGHWAYMEN

Berkeley Man Saves
His Money by
Use of Threat.

BERKELEY, Oct. 18.—"If you come a step farther I'll kill you!" These words addressed by Charles H. Spinks to two highwaymen at the corner of Telegraph avenue and Parker streets at 11 o'clock last night, saved him from being beaten and robbed. He was surrounded by the two men as



CHARLES H. SPINKS, of Berkeley, whose threat to murder prevented his being the victim of highwaymen last night.

he stepped off the street car, but made a motion as if to draw a gun, at the same time addressing the footpads in a threatening manner. The marauders held a hurried consultation and then left their prospective victim, running down Parker street, which is ill lighted.

At the time of the attempted hold-up Spinks, who is a candidate for Auditor on the Union Labor and Independence League tickets, was returning to his home at 2550 Benvenue avenue.

One of the men came out of a new building in the course of construction at the corner of Parker street and Telegraph avenue, while the other walked over from across the street. Spinks secured a good look at the man who was in front of him and says he was about 35 years of age and that he had a few days growth of beard.

HEAVY LOSS BY FIRE.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Oct. 18.—Fire which broke out after midnight in the six-story building of the Powell Hardware Company, burned for six hours, causing a loss of about \$300,000. In addition to the destruction of the Powell Hardware Company store and stock the Birmingham Dry Goods Company's building was burned.

TO SUPERVISE WORK.

MARSEILLES, Oct. 18.—Marine Minister Thomson called for Bizerta today on board the armored cruiser *Joane d'Arc*, to supervise the efforts being made to raise the submarine boat *Lutin*. Before leaving Marseilles the minister said he intended to make a personal inquiry into all the facts attending the disaster, in order to determine the responsibility and to adopt measures to prevent a recurrence of a similar accident in the future.

EXTRAORDINARY AN- NOUNCEMENT.

Auction sale of pianos, massive and costly antique and modern furniture, etc., at 1007 Clay street, Oakland, Friday, October 19, at 10:30 a. m. Inspection Thursday afternoon. Completing elegant Starr upright and Steinway square pianos, massive mahogany parlor suite covered with French tapestry, antique mahogany settee and parlor tables, two large mirrors, antique French clock, leather couch, odd parlor chairs, rockers, reed chairs, inlaid tables, antique camphor wood and walnut secretaire, hat rack, Brussels carpets, large Axminster rug, matting, lace curtains, bric-a-brac, oil paintings, steel engravings, massive hand carved walnut sideboard, oak sideboard, extension tables and chairs to match, Vienna chairs, hand-some hand-carved walnut bedroom suite, set \$500; oak and walnut bedroom suite, iron beds, chiffoniers, wardrobes, folding beds, hair and flax mattresses, bedding, ranges, gas stoves, lady's wheel, etc. All must and will be sold.

J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers.

EXTRA BIG AUTO ACCIDENT! LIVERMORE MAN IS KILLED

Clarence Beck Is
Thrown From a
Machine and
Is Fatally
Injured.

IN A SERIOUS AUTOMOBILE
ACCIDENT IN LIVERMORE LAST
NIGHT, CLARENCE BECK, A
WEALTHY GROCER OF THAT
TOWN, WAS FATALLY INJURED
BY BEING TROWN OUT OF THE
MACHINE.

THE MACHINE WAS ON ITS WAY
TO OAKLAND, BEING DRIVEN BY
CHAUFFEUR LANGAN. THE CAR
IS OWNED BY THOMAS CARNEAL,
OF OAKLAND.

MR. BECK RECEIVED VARIOUS
INJURIES ABOUT THE BODY, AND
DIED IN A LOCAL HOSPITAL AT 2
O'CLOCK TODAY.

SORRY ACCIDENT WAS NOT FATAL

Because her husband cared more for the society of boon companions than he did for himself and children, Mrs. Margaret McKee Chase of Alameda sued her husband, Leander Chase, for divorce on the grounds of extreme cruelty and Judge William H. Wastie granted her an interlocutory decree in the Superior court this morning.

In her deposition Mrs. Chase stated that she was married in Oakland August 9, 1897, and is the mother of four boys, John, Adrian, Leander and Cyril, the eldest of whom is eight and the youngest two years of age. Chase, who is a well-known fire insurance man, first gained his wife's displeasure five years ago when he stayed away from home all night. Twice he repeated these nocturnal absences and the young bride, then only twenty-three years old, forgave him on account of her little ones.

Prior to the time that she was forced to leave him last August Mrs. Chase stated that her husband never gave her any money since the wedding day, that she was not only compelled to buy clothes for herself but for her children also.

She stated that Chase spent money on his friends and allowed the household bills to run up until the grocer and the doctor harassed her with their accounts long past due.

Chase, she says, called her names

KISSING! IS IT A CRIME? THIS WOMAN SAYS YES, CO-ED GIRLS SAY NO

Kissing may be an evil practice, and may cause all sorts of horror, but when people kiss they are not thinking of possible evil effects.—Miss Alice Waddell Johnston, student at the University of California.

I should say that if I wanted to kiss somebody who also desired to kiss me. I would not stop to think about tuberculosis or any other contagious disease.—Edna E. Willard, senior class, University of California.



ALICE W. JOHNSTON, DR. EDITH S. BROWNELL, EDNA E. WILLARD.
Students at the University of California Declare That They
Are Willing To Osculate And To Be
Osculated.

BERKELEY, Oct. 18.—Dr. Edith S. Brownell, whose edict against the peek-a-boo shirtwaist as addressed to the young women of the University of California created the furor of the year in the college town, now declares that kissing is one of the crimes of the century.

In her latest startling address to the co-eds, delivered this morning to her class in hygiene, Dr. Brownell, who is one of the best known women on the faculty of the State institution, advised the girls to kiss nobody on the mouth.

SAYS IT'S A CRIME.

"Kissing is one of the crimes of the century," said Dr. Brownell, "for more diseases are transmitted that way than in any other.

NOT EVEN BABIES.

"If a man has the least taint of tuberculosis or throat trouble the girl

who kisses him will contract it. The habit of letting people promiscuously kiss babies is one of the worst practices of the century. Babies are not strong enough to withstand the ravages of the diseases that are transmitted to them in this way."

"WE CAN'T KISS! WOW!"

When Dr. Brownell's hygiene class was dismissed the girls congregated in groups outside Hearst hall, discussing the novel prohibition. "To think," ejaculated one of the girls, "that we can't kiss any more!" Few of the co-eds took the words of the lecturer seriously. Few of those who have been asked to give their opinions on Dr. Brownell's denunciation of kissing seem likely to forego the practice.

WHAT GIRLS SAY.

Edna E. Willard, one of the most popular girls of the senior class, said with a laugh, when asked for an expression of her opinion:

"I should say that if I wanted to kiss somebody who also desired to kiss me, opportunity offers.

I would not stop to think about tuberculosis or any other contagious disease."

"So far as most of the girls are concerned, I should say that the advice of Dr. Brownell was taken in one ear, to go out the other."

GIRLS WON'T TAKE ADVICE.

Miss Alice Waddell Johnston, a prominent Prytanean, who is taking graduate work at the university, said:

"I do not believe that most of the girls will take Dr. Brownell seriously. Kissing may be an evil practice, and may cause all sorts of horror, but when people kiss they are not thinking of possible evil effects."

"IT MAY BE THAT DR. BROWNELL IS JEALOUS OF THE FRESHIES, AND IS SORRY TO SEE THEM HAPPY."

Grace Mae Thomas, a junior co-ed, who is also a prominent Prytanean, said that some of the girls might find it an easy matter to accept Dr. Brownell's advice not to kiss, but that most of them would do as they please when the opportunity offers.

STRIKE COMES TO AN END; WORKMEN GAIN VICTORY

All operations in the building trades and the planing mills of this county were resumed this morning. The Building Trades Council has gained a complete victory. It has not recognized the newly formed Employers and Contractors' Association as an organization qualified to represent the employers.

PRISONER FORGES ORDER FOR HIS OWN RELEASE

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—Ernest M. Chadwick, alias Sir Harry Westwood Cooper, who has been confined in the county jail since his conviction on a charge of forgery, is accused of having committed further crimes while incarcerated. The police

dealing with his men.

The Planing Mill Owners' Association met last night.

This morning all of the twenty-seven mills were opened, the rate of wages demanded by the men being granted in full. This is a flat increase of \$1 per day on the old schedule.

today obtained evidence tending to show that Chadwick, during the months of July and August, was on several occasions granted leave of absence from the jail in the custody of a deputy sheriff.

The permission to leave the institution was granted upon two orders from Superior Judge James M. Trout.

and it is now discovered that the orders were forgeries. The seal of the superior court was attached to each order, and the detectives are endeavoring to learn how the unauthorized use of the seal was obtained.

Chadwick was originally charged with larceny after a sensational career in this city. He was later convicted of forging a telegram that figured in the case.

2 OFFICERS ACCUSED; WEAPONS, CLUBS!

"Don't Kill Me!
Here Is My
Money!"

Adolph Lewin, a produce merchant, for thirty years a resident around the bay, was held up and robbed about 6:30 o'clock last night within half a block of the Oceanview station house, San Francisco, by two police officers in plain clothes. Lewin says he can identify the men and for that purpose will visit Chief of Police Dignan tomorrow and B. Hershkovitz, 411 Sixth street, are partners in the produce business and the victim of the twilight robbery was playing his trade in the city across the bay yesterday and had reached a turning point at the Five Mile House when two men approached Lewin and asked permission to ride with him as far as Oceanview.

At the same time that the made the request they displayed police stars and the merchant claims that he recognized them as bona fide officers.

On the way to Ocean View one of the duo remarked that he wished a drink and Lewin offered to become a host. They stopped at the first saloon on the road and at the bar the produce man "flushed his roll," containing more than \$35 in gold.

Returning to his wagon, Lewin states that the smaller and the stouter of the two policemen took a seat beside him, while the taller and slim officer stood up in the rear.

SEIZED BY POLICEMAN.

When within half a block of the Oceanview police station having driven along the San Bruno road, Lewin was suddenly seized from behind by the tall officer, who at the same time brought a club down on his right shoulder with terrific force, exclaiming: "Give me your money!"

Stunned by the blow, Lewin did not respond at once and the tall man lightened his grip upon his victim's thorax. Struggling to an upright position, Lewin thrust his head in his pocket and shouted: "Here is my pocketbook; don't kill me, take my money."

Having obtained the purse, a leather novelty affair, both robbers jumped to the ground and ordered Lewin to "drive up the hill." The merchant had no time in complying with their request, but as soon as he saw that the thugs had disappeared he drove at once in the direction of the police station.

"GET OUT OF HERE."

Arriving within a short distance of the place he met an officer in uniform and related to him his story. Instead of accompanying Lewin to the station house the policeman said: "Ah, get out of here; turn to your left and drive on." Lewin wears he can identify this man.

Realizing that detection was the better part of argument with a cop, Lewin continued on his way.

ISN'T A KNOCKER, BUT

A Storm, a son of toil, living at 644 Ninth street, denies that he is the prince of "knockers," but his statement received a bit this morning when he, taking his hammer out, struck himself under the left eye, causing a severe contusion and laceration. Storm left the Knocking Hospital, promising to show the doctor that he would never be guilty of knocking any more.

BABY COVERED WITH SORES

Would Scratch and Tear the Flesh Unless Hands Were Tied—Wasted to a Skeleton—Awful Suffering for Over a Year—Grew Worse Under Doctors—Skin Now Clear.

WOULD HAVE DIED BUT FOR CUTICURA.

"My little son, when about a year and a half old, began to have sores come out on his face. I had a physician treat him, but the sores grew worse. Then they began to come on his arms, then on other parts of his body, and then came on his chest, worse than the others. Then I called another physician, and he said that if I did not do something, my little son would die. He gave me a small piece of Cuticura to try, and a little of the Ointment. I took it home without any faith, but to please her I tried it, and it seemed to dry up the sores a little. I sent to the drug store and got a cake of Soap and a box of the Ointment and followed the directions, and at the end of about two months the sores were all well. He has never had any more of any kind since."

"He is now strong and healthy, and I can sincerely say that only for your most wonderful remedies my precious child would have died from these terrible sores. I used only one cake of Soap and about three boxes of Ointment." (Signed) Mrs. Egbert Sheldon, R. F. D. No. 1, Woodville, Conn., April 22, 1908.

Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humour, from Pimples to Scalds, from Itchiness to Aged, Curing of Children, Skin, Venereal, etc., etc. See full directions on each box. Cuticura Soap, 25¢; Cuticura Ointment, 25¢. Sold everywhere. Write for free literature to J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

WANTS ALL MEN TO REGISTER

Hugh J. McAvoy, Formerly of Oakland, Makes a Suggestion Regarding Thugs.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 18.—Editor TRIBUNE: At this time when both year and our city are overrun by thugs it is time for all law abiding citizens to assist in any manner possible to abate the nuisances and not be quarrelling, as heretofore, as to who shall be at the head, give orders, etc., while the thugs are working. I now make a suggestion which, from my standpoint, is a good one, but I may not be a judge, but should you, with your able paper, think well of it you might take it up and have the matter acted on in your and my old town. The suggestion is this: To have your council, or even supervisors, pass an ordinance to make all, at least all of the male population, register, giving residence, occupation, etc., and even a description could be included; then give the bearer a card stating the same facts, as his passport, or mode of recommendation. After a time any man found not to be living at the place designated, or not being employed in these times when all may secure work, then this would prove him at least a suspicious character, and could be held up by the police night or day. This mode might be extended far and do much to clear out or at least stultify the crooks, as all honest men would be glad to register. This is simply an outline, and if published by you would lead to other correspondence and possibly to a more lucid result. I am not at all anxious to appear in print, but as this idea came I feel it my duty to let you have it, as it is only through the medium of the press a good result may be obtained. I did send such a communication to one of our dailies here but whether they thought little of it or were too busy to more important matters I do not know, but it must have gone to the waste basket. Should you deem any part of this worth publishing, do so and oblige. Most respectfully yours, H. J. McAVOY, 2640 Market street, S. F.

MYSTERY IN WILL CONTEST

Fight Collapses and Silence Follows Reflections on Woman.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 18.—In the development of the Wister-Weighman will contest, Philadelphia's fashionable set finds itself confronted with one of the greatest puzzles in its history. Mr. and Mrs. Jones Wister, leaders in the town, have been silent for several years to remain silent. In the face of a series of most astounding rumors growing out of the collapse of the will contest, because of the slip of yellow paper upon which the late William Weighman had written something at the feet of Mrs. Wister.

When the prominent lawyers engaged by Mrs. Wister to contest Mrs. Wister's right to the \$50,000,000 left by William Weighman, today, it is something that could not be done to stop the amazing rumors, their only remedy was that they had agreed with the counsel for the other side to say nothing regarding the yellow slip of paper.

ASSEMBLYMAN ESPEY'S REMAINS TAKEN NORTH

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 18.—The remains of State Assemblyman R. H. Espey, who died last Monday at Yosemite National park, were taken north today. The body was taken to the State of Washington. He had been ill six months.

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STOCKWELL IS DYING

BERKELEY, Oct. 18.—L. R. Stockwell, one of the oldest and best known actors on the American stage lies at the Fabiola hospital suffering from a stroke of partial paralysis. His friends and physicians say he will never play again. Stockwell made his last great hit on the stage in the role of the Hon. Eric R. Bush. Friends of the stricken actor are planning a benefit for him.

FIGHT FOR THE CONTROL

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Voting in the election which is to decide who shall control the Mutual and New York Life Insurance companies and their \$90,000,000 of assets, begins today and will continue until December 18, when the polls close. It may take several months to count the ballots, and in the event of a close election the count may be contested in the courts. There are 300,000 policyholders in the Mutual and about 75,000 in the New York Life. What percentage will vote is merely guess work.

In the Mutual life there are three tickets in the field. One, nominated by the present management, is known as the "Administration ticket." The second is the united committee ticket, jointly nominated by the International Policyholders' Association, the Mutual Life Policyholders' Association, the Third or Fusion ticket, was nominated by the Mutual Life of New York, in the New York Life there are only two tickets, the Administration nominees and those named by the International Policyholders' Committee.

VOTE BY MAIL. Most of the voting will be done by mail and the first lot of ballots will be received by the offices of the two companies today. Each company is required by law to send by mail to every policyholder a ballot containing the full tickets regularly nominated.

Explicit directions as to how the voting shall be done are not given, as it is the purpose of the State Legislature of insurance to accept a ballot so long as the intent of the policyholder is clearly shown.

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FIRE DESTROYS TUTOR'S HOME

Flames Wreck Residence of Miss Harriet E. Corliss.

The home of Miss Harriet E. Corliss at 480 Chestnut street, near Santa Clara street, was burned to the ground about noon today.

The fire was caused by a defective flue, and had gained considerable headway before the fire department was called.

The outhouses were also burned to the ground.

The loss is estimated at \$8000, covered by insurance.

Miss Corliss is an instructor at the High school.

PYTHIANS IN NEW ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 18.—The Supreme Lodge of the Knights of Pythias today elected the following officers: Supreme chancellor, Charles A. Barnes, Jacksonville, Ill.; Supreme vice-chancellor, Henry B. Brown, Calumet, Texas; Supreme prelate, Leo A. Caro, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Supreme keeper of records and seal, R. L. White, Nashville, Tenn.; Supreme master of the exchequer, Thomas D. Menes, Wilmington, N. C.

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An Honest Inside



The way our suits are being put together with the first-class inside linings, with imported Aberdeen canvas, French haircloth and the finest padding must go to make a fine hanging garment, that alone is the true key to our success.

We are doing an enormous business in our suits at \$15.00 to order and as well our celebrated \$4.00 pants to order. The reason is simple. Customers in looking over our stocks find that the suits we sell at \$15.00 are the equal of any \$25.00 or \$30.00 suits sold elsewhere.

Why can we undersell others as much as \$10.00 to \$15.00 on a suit? It is because we manufacture our own wools and make all our suits ourselves in our own workshop which is on the premises and also at 969 Webster street, where nothing but first-class union mechanics are employed.

You buy direct from us. We save middlemen's profit, and necessarily you must derive the benefit.

True you can buy a suit elsewhere for \$15.00 but you must stop and consider the material, workmanship and trimmings.

You will find them inferior to what we give for \$15.00 for other tailors are asking \$10.00 and \$15.00 more for their suits than we do.

But after all the proof is in the merchandise, in addition to taking our word for it.

Judge us by the suits themselves. Let's talk a little about men's trousers.

Most every man has use of one or more pairs to coat and vest, particularly now when your trousers get so dusty at the ankles, it is well to have an extra pair of striped worsteds which look well with any coat and vest.

Well, we have them and sell them at \$4.00 to order, the equal of any \$7 and \$8.00 pants sold elsewhere.

So call and be convinced that what we say is true.

Our thirty-seven year experienced cutter is still on hand, who drafts a pattern for each customer, which must fit without any alterations.

So get the habit and pay for Scotch Goods

Suits \$15 to order
Pants \$4 to order

Scotch Plaid Tailors

1054 Washington St., Oakland

P. S.—WE ALSO KEEP OUR SUITS CLEANED AND PRESSED FREE OF CHARGE ALL YEAR AROUND.

DYNAMITE IS USED ON SAFE

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 18.—Burglars used dynamite on the safe of Waterman & Company, at Tehachapi last night, blowing the door off the hinges. They were unable, however, to reach the burglar proof department and after rifling the store of jewelry, cutlery and money from the cash drawer, made their escape.

WEALTHY MAN'S ESTATE GOES TO BROTHER

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 18.—All of the \$500,000 estate of C. E. Schockopf, the wealthy real estate dealer of this city, who died suddenly on a train last week, will be inherited by a brother in Chicago and a sister in Wurtemberg, Germany, in spite of the fact that the dead man had planned for more than ten years to leave his vast holdings to charity and religious organizations. An unsigned will showing this intention was found, but a thorough search has failed to discover a valid document disposing of the estate. The estate will be administered by the public administrator.

STUDENTS TO BE AT IDORA PARK

The students of the University of California to the number of 300 will have a theater party at Idora Park Saturday night and there will be lots of fun, for it is "field day" Saturday and all the athletic "fans" will turn out in large numbers.

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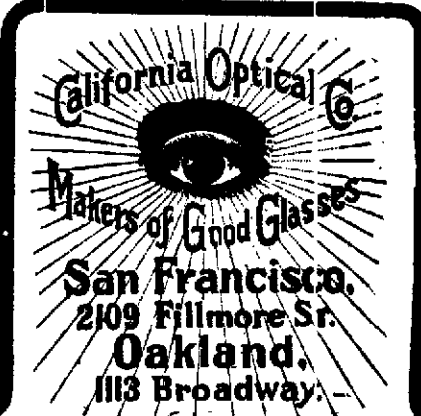
Formerly of 205 California St., San Francisco, extends a cordial invitation to the public to inspect its modern and complete optical establishment at 1113 Broadway, Oakland.

The Office Boy and the Orphans

Gee, if there is a soft spot in my heart, it is for an orphan. I would pawn my shirt and shoes to get one of those little kids something that would partly make up to them for the loss of a mother's love. Boys, that is one reason a lickin' from your Ma never hurts so much as one from your Pa. It is the Mother love that takes the sting out of the slipper. Whenever you are tempted to get sassy to her, just imagine what life would be without her and there you are. But the Orphans of West Oakland are going to have a big benefit in the theater at Idora Park Wednesday evening, October 24th, and in order to get it, the tickets must be purchased from the Ladies of the Home or from Mr. Taylor on Twelfth street. Then they get the money. Otherwise some older orphans who are used to being orphans will get it. So help the poor little fellows and girls of the West Oakland Home by being on hand next Wednesday evening. I am not talking clothes today, but about Orphans. My Boss is busy, anyway and he wants to see a big crowd out there, so will some of the ladies please call in the store and round up our bunch of Orphans here at the store. We have 25¢ orphans and \$5 orphans at

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We also desire to mention that during the past week we have received large and splendid line of Palmer coats and suits which are on display. Business - visit our store this week, and don't forget

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GIRLS OFTEN STRIKE ENGAGED MEN FROM INVITATION LISTS

Not Much Fun Wasting Wit and Brilliance on a Fellow Who Is Already "Booked" to Another.

If you asked a man he'd probably feel you and she would love each other. And owing to the awkward circumstances I couldn't even faint, go into hysterics or tear his eyes out—any one of which courses would have been a relief.

From the man's point of view it is pretty nearly as bad. Of course, men will say that they prefer girls who are engaged—they don't perpetually imagine that a man's going to propose—but when it comes right down to it a man prefers either a disengaged girl or a married woman. There is a chance that the girl may hope he will fall in love with her while the married woman may sigh that she didn't meet him first. But the engaged girl is flat, stale and unprofitable as far as personal interest is concerned and though he doesn't own to any of these reasons, he instinctively acts upon them all. No man feels particularly thrilled by the knowledge that the girl he is talking to is glad dear Jack doesn't talk as much—or if he is silent compares him with Tom—who thanks goodness has something to say for himself.

And engaged couples aren't a bit more popular together than they are apart. Who wants to break in upon the tete-a-tete on the porch—even if it has lasted all day and monopolized every quiet nook around the place? Who wants to join the love-lorn pair, and have his feeble attempts at wit received with chilling silence, or, at best an occasional "Indeed?" or incredulous "Really?"

And when Harry is toying the picnic party over to the island it isn't pleasant to have Muriel on her dignity because she is not allowed to sit in the bow weighing as she does 150 pounds. Nor is it pleasant to find that Harry and Muriel expect to be exempt from the unpacking and washing up, that they appropriate the hammock as their lawful property.

Of course, there are exceptions but the average engaged couple is by no means remarkable for unselfishness. Looked at from one point of view, such a state of things is altogether deplorable. Looked at from another—a more sensible—point of view such a state of things is even desirable. For what man and maid in love ever saw the rest of the world except altogether out of proportion compared with the loved one and who excepting the most carping critic would wish things to be otherwise?

A ROYAL VISITOR TO ENGLAND: THE PRINCESS OF ROUMANIA.



THE PRINCESS OF ROUMANIA AND HER DAUGHTER, PRINCESS MARIE. The Princess of Roumania, wife of Prince Ferdinand, is the daughter of the Dowager-Duchess of Saxe-Coburg (Duchess of Edinburgh). She has four children, of whom Princess Marie, now aged six, is the third.

INTENSE CURIOSITY IS SECRET OF WOMAN'S PRONENESS TO GOSSIP LESS RESERVED IN CONVERSATION THAN MAN

FRIENDLY CHAT IS OFTEN GOOD TONIC FOR BLUES

The feminine retort to the question, Why do women gossip? would probably be "The men are as bad as the women. This may be true in some instances, but it does not answer the query. It is likely enough that the majority of ladies might readily admit a fondness for gossip, but they might not be quite so ready with a reason for that fondness.

Yet, if they took notice, and analyzed their feelings a little a variety of reasons might easily be discovered which would amply explain liking for gossip.

Probably women gossip chiefly because of their intense curiosity on domestic social and kindred topics. A woman's interest is in the home, and a good wife never fails to realize this. She does not care a pin for politics, but she will chat about domestic joys and troubles by the hour.

Women like to gossip because they like news. Especially local news. A woman's favorite paper is usually the local paper. But there is plenty of news which is never printed, and which is only circulated privately—by gossip.

Local dances, engagements, weddings, christenings, funerals and bankruptcies generally receive full discussion. Then there is the approximate cost of Mrs. Brown's new costume, Mrs. Jones' new bonnet, and Mrs. Smith's lot of furniture to be debated and considered.

The secret of the charm which gossip holds for many women lies, of course in the almost universal craving for social intercourse. Friendship and social intimacy are the chief things which make life worth living. Women, perhaps, do not really grasp this any more than men, but they act as though they did.

Men are generally more reserved than women. The women are less cautious than the opposite sex. They like to have plenty of friends and to converse with them also. They can also apparently love their enemies with greater ease and skill than mere men.

The liking which some women exhibit for gossip is vague enough in other instances it is more solid and methodical. Gossip is merely charming pastime with some folk. With others it is a deliberate profitable, yet without pleasant, business.

The wife of a certain successful private detective is said by her husband to be of great assistance to him in his work. The neighborhood in which he lives is almost wholly ignorant of his profession, though it is chiefly practiced in the district.

His wife is an inveterate but acute gossip. In conversation she knows how to relate a considerable amount of unimportant matter, while receiving valuable secrets in exchange. These secrets are speedily imparted to her husband, who often finds them handy in his detective work. Those for which he has no immediate use are recorded in books kept for the purpose, in case they may happen to be useful at any future time.

A more worthy kind of gossip is that indulged in almost daily by the wife of a popular clergyman. This woman, like hundreds more in similar positions of life, finds pleasure for herself in giving joy to her poor parishioners by chatting with them at every opportunity.

She does not preach at them in season and out of season but has a high conversation about every-day matters, with which they are fully acquainted and in which they are deeply interested. Her husband declares that it is her cheerful influence which mainly helps him to fill his church.

Of course there is gossip and gossip. No one would commend a more tattler or malicious tale bearer. Much mischief is sometimes caused by idle prating. But prudent gossip has much to recommend it. In many cases it is healthful and educative. Some girls and matrons know this.

It is a good mental tonic. One woman recently remarked that she had managed to discover an almost certain remedy for the frequent attacks of low spirits from which she used to suffer. Whenever she feels one of the old fits of depression coming on she sallies forth on a gossip tour. She calls on several different friends, has a nice little chat with each, and in this way never fails to ward off or get rid of a fit of the "blues."

SECRET OF YOUTH LIES IN LIVING TEMPERATE LIFE

Wise Men of Today Do Not Seek Death Defying Draught That Alchemists Believed Would Make One Immortal.

By GRAHAM HOOD.

It was not so many centuries ago that scientists and adventurous explorers were vying with one another in their endeavors to discover some means of making themselves immortal.

The alchemist, the mystic ancestor of the modern chemist, believed that he would find the secret in crucible. The explorer journeyed to far distant lands in search of some fabulous spring the waters of which would impart to him their strength and so enable him to defy the ravages of age and the final quietus of death.

Today man is wiser than he was a few centuries ago, for he has accepted the conclusion that death is an inevitable condition to which all men must come. He no longer searches for the spring of eternal youth, therefore. He admits that the death-defying draught for which the alchemist delved so assiduously was but the dream of an age when science was little more than a childish game. And yet, while he has cast aside these foolish theories, he has come to another conclusion, for if he is one of the wise men he now admits that the secret of perpetual youth is one that has always been locked within man's own brain and that as each man strives to obtain the best possible results by the most careful use of all his faculties so he may prolong his usefulness and laugh at the senility of age at least.

To master this secret is a very simple matter. It does not require a man to study deeply or to spend his nights over ill-smelling chemicals. Instead, he has but to study himself and to make the most of every force that God has given him.

In the first place, he must be temperate, but temperance and total abstinence are two entirely different matters. To keep young a man must first prepare to keep healthy and strong. To accomplish this there must be no excesses—no excesses of eating as well as drinking, no excesses of work as well as of play. Thus the hours set apart for toil and recreation must not be permitted to conflict with those that should be devoted to sleep. Sleep is the only sure restorer of wasted energies, and the man who devotes too little time to sleep is deliberately shortening his days. It is for this reason that an hour's extra sleep in the morning is more healthful than a cocktail before breakfast.

While the passage of years is a matter over which man has no control, old age itself is largely a mental condition. It has often been said that "a man is as old as he feels but no older," and many sayings have been less true to the mark, for the man who permits himself to feel like an old man is pretty certain to look like one. I know men who are youthful today in spite of their sixty or seventy years. The reason is that they have kept their minds young. They have not worn themselves out by worrying over things that they could not remedy. If the past has dark pages for them they have sealed them tightly with a light of regret, perhaps, that what has gone should have been so irretrievably lost. To have worried over the past or to have fretfully anticipated the future, however, would have been a sign of discontent, and as contentment is one of the necessary qualities of youth they have been careful to avoid anything that would interfere with their enjoyment of the present.

To live absolutely in the present is another condition to which men must aspire if they would retain their youthful characteristics. They must keep themselves thoroughly in touch with the time—so thoroughly in touch with it that they will have no time to think about, or less talk about, the past. By keeping actively engaged in some present day enterprise there is little opportunity for a man to become reminiscent, and if he is to keep up with the procession it is necessary that he should keep in touch with new things and new methods.

Lots of men today are old simply because they have acquired the get-old habit, whereas it would be just as easy for them to have remained youthful as it is for them to be senile. The only thing necessary would be for them to follow a few such rules as these:

Be temperate in all things.

Don't cheat yourself of sleep by overwork or by worrying about things that you can't help.

Keep the mind active. Brush away the cobwebs and keep in touch with the present.

Associate with clever and up-to-date men. So where you can find a good laugh.

Live such a life as this and you won't give old age a chance to catch you.

THIS INDIAN LADY IS EXCEEDINGLY JEALOUS When Her Husband Takes Another Squaw for a Ride in the Ferris Wheel She Becomes Hostile.

SPOKANE, Oct. 10.—That jealousy arises in the breast of the red woman as well as the white was forcibly demonstrated at the fair grounds recently when Grunjo the Indian buck who is to play the principal part in "In We-Na-ha" the Indian drama which was presented at the Spokane theater last evening took Susie Ogden who is to play the principal woman part in the same play for a ride in the Ferris wheel. When they reached terra firma again they found Isabelle Grunjo's squaw waiting for them. Mrs. Grunjo hurled two large stones at Miss Ogden, both of which took effect cutting the dusky maiden on the face and neck.

Grunjo's wife has been disconsolate ever since she learned that her particular brave was to make love to Susie even in a play, but her revenge reacted in a measure when the three were taken to police headquarters. Both women began to explain at the same time. Susie Ogden, who speaks English fairly well, was given the right-of-way. During her explanation Isabelle interposed remarks in the Indian tongue. For a long time Susie paid no attention to these interruptions but went on with her explanations to the police. Finally she replied to Mrs. Grunjo in her native tongue to the effect that she was a liar whereupon she received a smart blow upon the head from Mrs. Grunjo that sent her sprawling at full length under a table. It was explained to the infuriated squaw that such behavior was not permitted in the presence of the police court.

After Susie had sufficiently recovered she went on with her explanation of the occurrence. She had not got very far when she received another resounding blow that again laid her low. This time Mrs. Grunjo was taken to jail and locked up until she cooled off when she was allowed to return to her husband. Susie expects to be in good condition again when the play is taken to Seattle.

MAN AND WOMAN IN MIX-UP; END IN COURT

For disturbing the peace in West Oakland last night Willie Grizzle was arrested and locked up in the city prison. This morning he pleaded guilty in department one of the Police Court and was fined \$10 or will serve ten days.

Lulu Pills was in company with Grizzle at the time and she was charged with assault with a deadly weapon. The woman appeared in department two of the Police Court this morning, and her case was continued until tomorrow for the filing of a complaint.

A woman always thinks she is better than other women and a man thinks he is no worse than other men.—Chicago News.

FELL FROM STAGING AND INJURED NOSE

G. M. Treblett, a painter living at 509 East Twenty-second street, while working on a building at Second and Webster was hurled from a staging twenty feet above the ground by the breaking of a rope. He landed on his left side and sustained a dislocation of a bone in the left side and abrasions to his nose and body that will cause him to be confined to bed for several weeks. Dr. W. H. Irwin treated the injured man at the receiving hospital.

The more faith a woman has in her husband the fewer lies he tells.

BRITISH SHIP HAD TO GET NEW CREW

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 10.—The Merchants Exchange has received advice from London to the effect that the British ship Atlas, from Honolulu, for Delaware Breakwater, put into Valparaiso to procure a crew.

FOUR COLLEGES QUALIFY FOR GOLF

GARDEN CITY, L. I., Oct. 10.—Four colleges, Yale, Princeton, Harvard and Cornell, were represented in the qualifying round of eighteen holes which began this morning for the individual championship of the Inter-collegiate golf association.

MACHINIST'S BODY FOUND ON BEACH

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 10.—The dead body of Klud Olsen, a machinist, was found at an early hour this morning at Ocean View. It is not known whether the man was murdered or died from natural causes. The police are now investigating Olsen's death.

SIR ISAAC GRAVELED

Newton had just discovered why the apple fell down.

"But," we asked, "why do plums fall to those higher up?"

Herewith the great man hastily had business down street.—New York Sun.

LOVE LETTERS THAT FAIRLY SIZZLE! WOW! Love, Elopement, Scandal and Divorce Stir Town, and Burning Epistles of Passion Appear in Court.

"Love, I'll be waiting for you 'neath the shade of the old apple tree"—Extract from letter of Mrs. Ernest Gustafson to her lover, R. H. Osborne.

"Dearest Lucy—If you and Ernest part, I am waiting with open arms for you"—Extract of letter from Osborne to Mrs. Gustafson.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Oct. 10.—Love in a fishing hamlet between a married woman and a fisherman with whom she was infatuated letters fairly sizzling with endearments, an elopement and a divorce growing out of the case in the short period of one month—all this provides a sensation at the little town of Marietta. Few are the trials of the inhabitants of Marietta. Bent upon the capture of fish as a mainstay of its sustenance, a romance in real life seldom appears before the stolid fishermen. Occasionally a fish pirate is landed in the mesh of the law, but love—that is a different question.

In the Whatcom county Superior court yesterday the trial of divorce between Ernest Gustafson and his wife came on for hearing. Mrs. Gustafson came on for hearing Mrs. Gustafson wasn't there. Neither was her lover, R. H. Osborne, who is named as a co-respondent in the case. Into each other's arms, according to the evidence in the hands of the wronged husband's attorney, both have now fallen, and a few days ago eloped for pastures new. It is said they are in Minnesota.

One of Mrs. Gustafson's letters to Osborne, and one of Osborne's letters to Mrs. Gustafson, both burning with passion, were presented to the court.

"O, how my heart beats for you my darling," writes Mrs. Gustafson. "If anything should happen to you I would go crazy. I won't go back on you for all the money and all the people in the world. Love, I'll be waiting for you under the shade of the old apple tree."

Just how passionately Mrs. Gustafson's heart beat for Osborne is shown in her letter, which says she is waiting alone.

"No one has been here, dear, all day long. Sport comes in once in a while and sneaks around for you. O, now my heart goes out to you."

On the same date Osborne wrote to Mrs. Gustafson, telling her that her husband had met him and ordered him away from the house.

"But don't tell him that I have told you anything about it. If you and Ernest part, I am waiting with open arms for you."

Osborne's letters show him to be a man of but little education. The Carnegie methods of spelling are in vogue with him, and in one passage of his letter he says:

"I assure you not to say anything to Ernest."

Judge Neterer granted the divorce on the showing made, and directed the husband not to marry again inside of six months.

GOOD TITLE

"This is a very polite waiter you have," remarked the new guest. "What do you call him?"

"Well," replied the hotel proprietor, "all the boys around here call him 'Scale'."

"And why do they call him 'Scale'?"

"Because he is tipped so often."—Chicago News.

A COWARDLY ATTACK

was made on "The Oakland Herald" Thursday last in the columns of our local contemporaries in an advertisement said to be paid for by a pseudo and whiskerless real estate operator, whose venom and cowardly innuendo were allowed full swing. He malignantly and sneeringly spoke of the withdrawal of our \$5000 circulation guaranty and hinted that we did not have the nerve to live up to our offer and boldly made the following proposition:

No, gentlemen, we WON'T let this matter end quite so suddenly MY attorney's offer to you is fair and made in good faith and I will suppose that your offer quoted above was also made in good faith. Your solicitors received business from me by strong claims of circulation. Now, you have either been obtaining money from me under false pretenses or you are honest—I am a liar or I am not, and I am very curious about the "DISASTROUS CONSEQUENCES." So, just to allow you to do a little good while proving to ALL YOUR ADVERTISERS at once that you have the circulation you claim, and as an earnest intendment on my part,

HIS OFFER

I now offer and will pay to any Oakland charity that "The Oakland Herald" may name the sum of

100 DOLLARS IN GOLD COIN

If "The Oakland Herald" will prove that the circulation of that paper is 23,000 or more

Now, let "The Oakland Herald" select one man allow me to select another and let these two select the third, and we won't ask the investigators to make public or divulge any inside information about the "inside of "The Herald's business" but will only ask them to report in writing that "The Oakland Herald" has or has not a circulation of 23,000. I will only ask that the investigators go a little further into the details of your circulation than seeing your press run. It is cool in your press room these warm days, and your pressman might fall asleep, and upon awaking would find that you had a circulation of 75,000 or perhaps 175,000.

You must admit that I am giving to "The Oakland Herald" an opportunity seldom offered to any newspaper—that of proving unfalsifiably to all its advertisers that it can substantiate its claims "on the basis of which all contracts are made." As I will use as much space in publishing the result of the investigation as I now use for this advertisement in all probability you will advise my attorney or myself at once, Mr. Oakland Herald, that you accept my offer, but to allow for delays will keep the offer open until 6 p. m., Saturday October 13, 1906. Not hearing from you at that time will be equivalent to admitting that you have not the circulation you claim, and in that case I shall have to ask you for the \$5000.

Well, we accepted him at his word. We selected our men and offered to make good in the presence of himself, his attorney and under the conditions proposed by them jointly. DO YOU THINK THEY INVESTIGATED? NO, THEY DID NOT. We offered to make good to the letter every claim we had made. He, especially, has evaded, up to the present, the investigation we so much court and which he seemed so anxious to make. He has not met us with his representative as offered, has not had the manhood to do as he said he would, and has in the most craven and cowardly manner proved, in not investigating or endeavoring to correct the foul impression he strove to spread broadcast among our merchants and honorable business citizens, his despicable animus. That such a being is not fit to associate with men can hardly be denied. One who will not admit or correct a wrong is not to be dealt with by honorable men. We have not finished with this person, as he will find out. We have, for the sake of correcting wrong impressions, again renewed our \$5000 circulation offer as originally made. This proposition was for and is to call attention to our circulation and it was only withdrawn, as stated in last night's advertisement in "The Oakland Herald" because we considered it had served its purpose. A coward threw down the gauntlet. He has so far refused to take it up. What do you think of him?

THE OAKLAND HERALD PUBLISHING COMPANY.

Per F. W. WORCESTER, Prest. and Gen. Mgr.

AN OPEN LETTER

Oakland, Oct. 17, 1906.

The Oakland Herald,

Oakland, Cal.

GENTLEMEN:—On the supposition that I am the "brave one" referred to in the \$5000 advertisement in the Herald this evening, I must admit that I am really curious as to your reasons for making the statements to the effect that I have not, nor attempted to, investigate your circulation claims after jumping into print. It cannot be possible that you now want to withdraw from your acceptance of my offer published in last Thursday's TRIBUNE and Enquirer and last Friday's Times and after all not allow an investigation of your circulation, but otherwise, I really do not see your object in publishing statements (pardon me for saying it) so very far from the truth. For you surely cannot have forgotten that on Saturday last about 5 p. m. you accepted by telephone my proposition as published by me on Thursday last, to the effect that you would allow an investigation of the Herald's circulation by a committee of three, one to be chosen by you, one by me and these two to choose the third and my \$100 in gold was to go to any charity you might name, if that committee found that you had a circulation of 23,000 or more, as claimed on back of your rate card dated October 1, 1906. Also, you cannot have forgotten that on Monday last I wrote requesting you to verify your telephone message in writing, which you did, nicely and clearly, and then have you forgotten the meeting at your office on Tuesday morning of this week, when my attorney and myself met a number of your men and yourself and when we each named our representative on the committee, you naming Mr. Smith of the Wiley B. Allen Co., and I, Mr. W. W. Cooley, expert accountant. Surely these things must have slipped your mind or how could you make such statements? Then today, Wednesday, Mr. F. W. Worcester of the Herald should have received a note from Mr. Cooley which should have again brought to that gentlemen's mind facts which seem to have escaped it, for on last evening (Tuesday) I had a talk with Mr. Cooley and he wanted to know, definitely, just what he would have to work on at the Herald office to enable him to make a true report on the circulation of the Herald. As I was unable to give him exact information on this point and as he told me frankly that unless he was to be given access to the books which would enable him to make this true report, that he preferred not to undertake the work at all, I advised him to write directly to Mr. F. W. Worcester for the information he desired, and today he advised me that he had done so and sent the note by a messenger boy (Western Union boy, I think he said). So you see gentlemen, your memories must be very short at the Herald office and if the reason for your statements is not shortness of memory, it must be that you want to withdraw your acceptance of my offer, or is there a joker in that \$5000 offer of yours?

And by the way, gentlemen, what is your claimed circulation anyway? On your rate card dated October 1, it says: "23,000 or more." In your paper of October 12 you say 24,148, in large figures, and in another place in the same paper: "It's nearly 24,000," and on September 22, according to same paper, Barnhardt day, it was 25,470, rather reminds one of a flea, doesn't it? Hope it won't resemble a flea when you try to put your finger on it. There are about 200,000 people in Oakland, including new-born babies, children, men and women, and we will throw in Chinamen, etc., for good measure—won't take you long to get through the list, will it?

And then that guaranteed star circulation you talk about in that same paper, do you know that that guaranteed star kind of talk is really impressive? When I first read some time ago that the Oakland Herald was the only daily paper on the Pacific coast whose circulation is guaranteed by the American Newspaper Directory, 1906, do you know that I felt proud of Oakland and of the Herald. Proud to think that I was in business in a city, which contained a paper, the only one on the Pacific coast which had a guaranteed star, and I thought of the San Francisco Examiner, Call and Chronicle and the Los Angeles Times and the other papers in that city, the Sacramento Bee and the papers in Spokane and Portland, and thought how badly they must feel that they could not attain to the honor and dignity of having the guaranteed star circulation. But I have learned lots about newspapers in the last two or three weeks, as I have talked with every newspaper man I could get at during that time, but it was really a shock to me the other day when I asked a newspaperman from across the bay, why it was that his paper could not have the guaranteed star honor, and he said: "My boy, every newspaper of any standing whatever in the United States can have that guaranteed star but it costs \$100, and we do not give up that money for the very same reason that you don't purchase when the smooth gentlemen with the tall hat, frock coat, and the glad hand calls on you and informs you that his firm is compiling a book of biography of the leading citizens of California, and that you have been selected among the first he called on, and that the cost will be only \$100. Say," he said, "you would look nice wouldn't you if you were the only one that bit, and then carried the book around with you and told your friends that you were the only leading citizen of California."

Yes, gentlemen, of the Herald, I admit it was a shock, but it was no worse a shock than the one I got when I borrowed a copy of that Newspaper Directory and found that your guaranteed star circulation, according to the book, was 10,260. But this is all beside the question, gentlemen, and I beg to remain,

H. C. USINGER

For Usinger & Us nger, 464 11th Street.

STORM RAGES IN ATLANTA

Cuba Cyclone Strikes Miami In South With Full Force.

ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 18.—There has been no communication with Miami Fla., since this morning. Just before the communication failed the operator at Miami reported a storm and said there was two feet of water in his office. Miami is about 300 miles south of Jacksonville on the east coast and it is supposed the Cuba cyclone has struck the place with full force. The Atlanta weather bureau has no advice further than those received from Washington during the morning.

Pearl Roberts a comely young woman who was arrested on a charge of vagrancy, was given thirty days in the city prison this morning by Judge Smith. It is claimed that he has never been leading a dissolute life.

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HUGE STORM SWEEPS CUBA

Disturbance Reaches Cyclonic Proportions and Wires Are All Down

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—Cable communication with Havana which had been interrupted at a late hour last night had not been restored at 9 o'clock today. The break had been caused by a heavy storm which swept over Cuba and where was described by the Havana operator just before communication was lost as having reached cyclonic proportions. Despatches received late last night stated that the hurricane with rain prevailed in the Cuban capital and that the United States troops in camp Columbia were much discomfited. After the Havana operator told Key West that the storm had increased in fury and that the storm was leveling the island while it was using the cable but then followed in entire break in telegraphic communication, and up to 5 o'clock this morning the wire connection had not been restored. It is more than likely that the storm has caused damage in Havana and its vicinity. Key West early this morning reported that a heavy rain and a "big storm" had reached the Florida coast.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 18.—The general review of weather conditions issued by the Weather Bureau today says, "A tropical disturbance of small diameter but of great severity in and near the Vortex passed Sand Key and Key West, Fla., at 5 o'clock this morning the maximum wind velocity at the first named station being seventy miles an hour. The disturbance is now apparently centered off the southern Florida coast moving northward. Storm warnings are displayed on the Florida coast and from Norfolk to Jacksonville."

WIRE DOWN. ATLANTA, Ga., Oct. 18.—The Western Union reports all wires gone south of Jacksonville and there is no means of communication with South Florida.

MAN MURDERS SON; TAKES OWN LIFE. CHICAGO, Oct. 18.—Bernard Clohr, a Russian laborer, today shot and fatally wounded his son, 21 years of age, and then committed suicide by swallowing carbolic acid. The son had prevented Clohr from killing his mother, and the father, enraged at this, entered his son's room while the latter lay asleep and shot him twice in the back.

TWO WERE INJURED; NO ONE KILLED. LOS ANGELES, Oct. 18.—An official statement from the Santa Fe offices in this city of the week yesterday says that no one was killed and but two injured. Special dispatches from Burnwell and San Bernardino yesterday reported that two were killed and thirteen injured.

MISS OLSEN UNDER FIRE

Judge Frick Endeavors to Show That McNulty's Victim Falsified.

Judge A. L. Frick attorney for Judge McNulty in the famous trial now going on before Judge T. W. Harris confirmed his questions this morning on cross examination of Miss Dorothy Olsen the complaining witness, to a line of testimony that would prove that the girl had flirted with the defendant and had encouraged him to follow her from a Telegraph avenue car. Miss Olsen admitted that she turned twice in her seat to survey the passengers in the rear and that her gaze on both occasions rested on McNulty, he declares that she did not smile.

Another new point was developed today when the witness said that when the former deputy county clerk threw her on the Stoddard lawn at Stuart street and Telegraph avenue she dropped her purse. On former examination she testified that she only had a handkerchief in her hand and now Frick is using all of his astute powers to impress the jury with the fact that the girl has falsified her statements under oath.

PIONEER SETTLER IS LAID TO REST

Joseph G. Wilson a valiant pioneer of this State who led an ideal Western life was laid to rest yesterday in Evergreen cemetery. The funeral was held from the parlors of the Bessie J. Wood Company in East Oakland. Rev. Robert Whitaker presided at the services and many sorrowing friends were present to do honor to the deceased pioneer.

Wilson came across the plains in 1849 from Illinois. During his travels he went among the Indians and never experienced trouble with the Red Men, as they revered him everywhere.

Mr. Wilson arrived in California in 1850 and took up his residence at Fort Sutter. He engaged in hunting deer and bear and opened a market at Fort Sutter. He lived there almost until the time of his death, which occurred last Friday in Bolinas. He was 84 years of age and a native of Massachusetts. He lived a single life and was always overjoyed when hunting in the wilds for deer and bear.

Relatives who reside in this county are Mrs. P. Barrett, Mrs. J. D. Wilson, Vernon Wilson and Alexander Wilson.

CHAS. A. RANKEL'S NEW POSITION.

Charles A. Rankel, who for some years past has been manager of the tool department of the Pierce Hardware Company, has severed his connection with the firm, and has accepted a similar position with the Smith Brothers' Hardware Company, and has assumed his duties with this popular house. Mr. Rankel is widely and favorably known in this city and county, and is a practical man in his line and a valuable acquisition to any concern who is fortunate enough to secure his valuable services.

SHE SINGS TO THE BIRDS

How Ellen Beach Yaw Practices in the Piedmont Hills.

Ellen Beach Yaw, the California soprano, will appear in Oakland again tomorrow, after an absence of eight years, during which she has met with triumphs in Italy, Germany, France and England. In New York she made a wonderful success last season, appearing once with Jan Kubelka, the violinist, when both were under the same manager.

She appears tomorrow at Ye Liberty playhouse, and will give a return engagement next Wednesday. Arias from operas, Scotch, English German and French lyrics, all these will not try her voice to the utmost, for she has the highest range of tone that was ever recorded in musical history.

"I always feel that there is something lacking when I leave California," she said today when interviewed by a TRIBUNE reporter. "There is that in the air, the nature of California, that produces the artist."

"Something attic?" suggested the reporter vaguely.

"Something heavenly. There is something in California that is found in Heaven."

After a pause: "I know that my soul was born in California."

She spoke with enthusiasm, her blue eyes and Madonna face lighting up, not all because of the California sun, it seemed. There is much of the warmth of her native State, that seems to glow in her quiet geniality.

"You longed to follow the art?" she was asked. "Ever since I was that high," she said, indicating an attitude usually attributed to infancy. "I first sang in public when seven years old. It was mostly an accident. It was at an evangelist's meeting. I suppose that the penetrating qualities of my voice attracted the conductor. He came back through the audience, listening until he found me, then taking me by the hand, led me to the platform. He told me to sing the verses, and the audience would join the chorus. The first two or three verses I knew, the rest I had to stop and spell out the words. He stood by and prompted me."

When the reporter asked about her marvelous range of voice, she replied, "That, too, was an accident. In practice one day I discovered that one note sounded high. Going to a piano, I found it was high G. It was easy to hold I found I could go much higher. At first my managers used that to advertise, but I do not allow it now."

There are birds on the Bratnaber place at Piedmont where Ellen Beach Yaw is staying—a large aviary. When the bird notes were sounding high and shrill, she answered them in long, sweet thrills, that drew call after call from the captive birds, as they sang in the hills of Piedmont.

NOW

you know how cheap candies are made, or I may say, are not to be made after New Year's Day. For, according to the coming food reforms, as and by Uncle Sam, there won't be any "candy, terra alba, barytes, chrome yellow or other mineral or poisonous substances, or coloring, or flavors or other injurious ingredients, or any vicious or malt or spirituous liquor or compound or narcotic drug." That is going to put a lot of people out of business, but if not enforced Uncle Sam would be put out, which would be worse. Uncle Sam represents the whole people and not a little bunch of Good candy appeals to me, right now.

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Eye Strain
Causes as many of the ills of life as any other bodily complaint. Our Glasses are a positive relief.

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1128 WASHINGTON ST., OAKLAND, CAL.
Sign "The Winking Eye."

50% Discount on your Dental Bill. We are doing high grade Dentistry for Moderate Fees! 5000 FILLINGS, \$500 to \$1. 5000 If we fail to Extract Teeth without pain. We make a specialty of GOLD PLATE WORK. OWL DENTAL CO 124 Broadway, cor. 11

The Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York. NOTICE TO POLICYHOLDERS. The official statement, which may be used as a ballot for voting by mail, having been sent to each policyholder on October 11, any voter failing to receive the same in due course is requested to send his name and address to the Company, New York City, in order that a duplicate may be sent him.

Lakeside Fink
12th St. between Webster and Harrison
SATURDAY NIGHT—Ladies' Race—Free-for-all.
SUNDAY NIGHT—Men's Race—Mile Handicap.
Please bring pavilion in Northern California. Well appointed, all comforts, well attended.

Touching a Pedagogue's Objections. Curry Again by All Means.

It is easy to guess that the editor of the Calaveras Prospect is a reformed (partially) school teacher. He insists that Andrew Johnson was actually impeached by the House of Representatives, fortifying his dictum by Webster's definition of the meaning of the word impeached. Had our Calaveras contemporary taken the trouble to ascertain the legal meaning of the word he would not have committed the error of saying a vote to present a man for impeachment constitutes impeachment. In a sense any charge by whomsoever made against the veracity, integrity, patriotism, etc., of another is an impeachment. An office-holder is not impeached, however, till the body having the legal authority to pass on the truth and sufficiency of the charges has decided that they have been proved and sustained. The Senate alone has the power to decide whether a Federal official is impeached. In Johnson's case, the impeachment proceedings brought by the House fell to the ground because a two-thirds majority of the Senate failed to vote in favor of sustaining the charges. In consequence, there was no impeachment within the meaning of the law, and Johnson continued to exercise the powers and prerogatives of the Presidential office as if nothing had happened. The Prospect uses impeached in the sense of accused or indicted, but in the case of a President the impeachment is not complete and operative until the Senate has so decided by a two-thirds vote. Again we say, no President of the United States was ever impeached.

The Rev. Whitaker has broken loose again. He wants to organize a vigilance committee and hang somebody. Apparently he is suffering from one of his periodical neurotic spells and needs a sedative. Somebody ought to read one of his own sermons to him.

A silly Democratic newspaper says George F. Hatton was the discoverer and political creator of Senator Perkins. George C. Perkins was sitting in the United States Senate prior to his acquaintance with Mr. Hatton. He was elected Governor before Mr. Hatton came to California, and was prominent in State politics back in war time. This is no disparagement of Mr. Hatton, but is stated to show the absurdity of some of the political buncomb the Democratic organs are printing.

A Hotel for Yosemite.

The announcement that the Interior Department has under consideration a proposal to grant a concession for the erection of a hotel to cost half a million in Yosemite Valley is welcome news to the public. Such a hotel has long been needed, but the State has been reluctant to defray the cost of erecting one, and an exclusive hotel concession could not legally be granted to private parties. Hence tourists visiting Yosemite and the Big Trees have been poorly accommodated and sadly inconvenienced of late years. In consequence, the travel of the valley is only a small proportion of what it should be. The Federal Government, not being bound by the restrictions imposed by law on the State authorities, can provide for the public without burdening the taxpayers. Such privileges have been granted in the Yellowstone Park, and being under rigid restrictions regarding prices and service, have worked to the general satisfaction of the traveling public. Provided the same restrictions are applied in Yosemite, there can be no reasonable objection to granting a concession there. At any rate, suitable hotel accommodations are an emergency requirement, and the government, having accepted the recession of the valley, is morally obligated to provide them without necessary delay.

The Bell organs will discover that abusing Mr. Gillett will win no votes for their candidate. The public does not approve of insulting and abusing candidates, and is certain to rebuke the outrages heaped on Mr. Gillett by giving him a large majority.

Last Sunday THE TRIBUNE printed more than fifty columns of classified ads, leading every other paper in California, save one in San Francisco and one in Los Angeles. This fact alone is convincing proof of the superiority of THE TRIBUNE as an advertising medium and its popularity with the general public. Our regular afternoon editions carry more classified advertising than all the other Oakland papers put together, a fact that anybody can demonstrate for himself.

WE ARE GLAD TO HEAR IT.

The people of Alameda county are deeply interested in the political situation in this county and particularly in the fight for the position of Sheriff which is being waged by R. R. Veale, the present Sheriff, and Robert Wallace, the Democratic nominee. Last night's TRIBUNE, the leading paper in Oakland, states a well-known fact that Sheriff Veale is the most efficient Sheriff in the State of California today, and his excellent qualifications are known far and wide. As a catcher of lawbreakers he is far superior to anything in the State, for when he starts after a man he seldom fails to run him to earth. The interests of Alameda county in the contest here lies in the fact that very few lawbreakers are permitted to get away from Contra Costa county to menace any of our neighbors. They are snapped up before they have a chance to escape. Under the regime of a less efficient official than Sheriff Veale the opposite would be the case, and this county might be a refuge for the lawless element that pray on society. The voters of this county are not going to turn the affairs of the Sheriff's office over to a man that is untried in this line and may or may not be a success, when they have an expert already in their employ. Sheriff Veale has been in office almost twelve years, and during that long time in service he has always been efficient in his duty and kind and obliging in every way. Personally, a more honorable gentleman never breathed than he, and he will go farther to do a good turn for even a casual acquaintance than any man in this county. He is as true as steel and a gentleman that can be depended upon in any emergency, both as an official and a man.—Richmond Leader.

Since 1870 the government has expended \$9,728,000 in making Galveston a deep-water port. At the present time the government is dredging out a thirty-foot channel in front of the wharves along the inner harbor. Only about one-third the sum expended at Galveston has been allotted to Oakland harbor. The expenditure of less than \$2,000,000 more would make Brooklyn basin accessible to ships drawing thirty feet of water. Our commercial bodies and representatives in Congress should exert themselves to have the necessary appropriations made.

It is an insult to common intelligence to say the Republican party can be trusted to govern the Nation, but is unfit to govern a State.

As he is the nominee of both the Republican and Union Labor parties, it is scarcely conceivable that Charles F. Curry can be defeated for Secretary of State; nevertheless, it is not out of place to again warn the voters that they will do an unwise thing should they fail to re-elect him. His opponent on the Democratic ticket, Mr. Nicholls of Chico, is said to be a good man, but he is not generally known and his qualifications for the office are an unknown quantity. Mr. Curry, on the other hand, has set such a high standard of efficiency in the Secretary of State's office that his administration has been warmly commended by men and newspapers of all parties. At no time in the history of the State has that office been filled to such general satisfaction. Its business is transacted with such admirable method and such courteous attention to all that Mr. Curry's administration is pointed at as a model for other officials to emulate. Under the circumstances, it is hardly conceivable that the voters will demand a change. Every consideration of public policy points the other way. Four years ago Mr. Curry was elected by over 40,000 plurality. His majority ought to be much larger this year, for the record he has made during his second term is better than the excellent one he made during his first.

The Democratic party is no more to be trusted in off years than in Presidential years.

THE POLLY AT ATLANTA.

But what folly! There are in the State of Georgia 1,035,000 negroes and 1,182,000 whites. In only two States in the whole South—Mississippi and South Carolina—is there a larger proportion of blacks. Is one-half the population to murder the other half in order to establish safe conditions of living? If so, anarchy is the only outcome; and here in America we have no place for anarchy.

Whatever may be the difficulties of arranging a modus vivendi in the Southern States having a large negro population, this is not the way. It is not a way that can be tolerated by the American people. We condemn Russia for the murder of the Jews under mob rule. What can we say when we are confronted with such an example as that of Atlanta?—Boston Post.

TRADE OF NEW ZEALAND.

According to a report by Consul-General Prickitt of Auckland, New Zealand is enjoying a period of remarkable prosperity and progress—if the figures showing a big trade balance in its favor are significant or symptomatic. During the first three months, according to the statement forwarded by Mr. Prickitt, the imports of the colony amounted to \$18,855,537, the exports to \$34,541,000. The principal exports were butter and cheese, \$4,749,704; gold, \$2,550,000; frozen meats, \$3,387,000; phorium (New Zealand), \$1,100,000; skins, \$729,000, including 1,524,996 rabbit skins, valued at \$82,000; wool, \$19,000,000.

The Massachusetts Republicans have followed the example set in Oregon, Wisconsin and several other States by formally renominating Senator Crane. This is a step toward electing Senators by popular vote, which is destined, sooner or later, to be the regular method.

CHIPS FROM OTHER BLOCKS.

Perhaps, before long, the telegraph and telephone companies will realize the fact that if they wish to keep their poles intact they must not set them along the automobile race course.—Cleveland Leader.

Mr. Foraker does not indorse the new spelling, but Absalom G. Spurling, the postmaster at Squawville, Ariz., gives it his hearty approval. Mr. Foraker is not the only cactus on the reservation.—Chicago Tribune.

Mr. Bryan regards Mr. Hearst as a good candidate and thinks he will make a good Governor after his election. All of which sounds pretty nearly as unorthodox to some Democrats at the government ownership of railroads.—Indianapolis News.

"What a wonderful vocabulary the new minister has," said Mrs. Oldcastle. "Yes," replied her hostess, "it's almost as big as Josiah's Uncle William's was, only his turned into a goitre at last."—Chicago Record-Herald.

A FANCY.

I've never heard the cuckoo claim,
With sweet, unvoiced persistence,
His wandering love by tender name,
Save in the far, far distance.

I've never watched on any tree
The little, patient wooer,
Nor know I where the haunts may be
Of that unseen Cuckooer.

So now I half believe the thing
Is mystical and airy,
A voice without a covering,
A spirit or a fairy!

A whisper from the quiet ways,
A sound o'er silence stealing—
A lonely note of love and praise
A lonely heart concealing.

—Pall Mall Gazette.

Married Women

Every woman covets a shapely, pretty figure, and many of them deplore the loss of their girlish form after marriage. The bearing of children is often destructive to the mother's shapeliness. All of this can be avoided, however, by the use of Mother's Friend before, during, and after pregnancy. Mother's Friend always prepares the body for the strain upon it, and preserves the symmetry of her form. Mother's Friend overcomes all the danger of child-birth, and carries the expectant mother safely through this critical period without pain. It is woman's greatest blessing. Thousands gratefully tell of the benefit and relief derived from the use of this wonderful remedy. Sold by all druggists at \$1.00 per bottle. Our little book, telling all about this liniment, will be sent free.

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FRIDAY!

Friday at this store is a busy day. We make it so. Good merchandise at special prices for Friday's selling are again quoted below.

Friday's Surprise--Men's Underwear

Men's Underwear, 55% wool—they are not all wool—just enough cotton to make the garment stand the wear—Shirts or Drawers that sell here every day in the week at 75c. Friday you save 11c on each garment—as a Friday surprise they will be sold at 64c

Friday's Surprise

Men's Handkerchiefs

Men's fine quality soft finished Japonette handkerchiefs, 12½c value. Friday only, each 7½c

Children's Hosiery

Children's fine ribbed little finished Hosiery, positively fast black and stainless, seamless, double sole, heel and toe, made of the best selected Maco cotton; all sizes. Regular 25c grade. Friday special pair 17c

Friday's Surprise RIBBONS

Mousseline Ribbon, extra fine quality, 5-inches wide, in all the newest shades. Friday special, yard. 22c

Friday's Surprise--Pillow Slips

1000 Pillow Slips ready to slip the pillow in the slip—seven different designs, six different colors. They are just the thing for the household—and think of it we will sell them Friday at 9c

See Washington street window.

Royal Worcester Corsets Sold Here

SAYS GARLIC KILLS HIS LOVE

Conrad Thielertoff Declares His Wife Also Drank Too Much Steam Beer.

Because his wife has developed a taste for steam beer and onions and is endeavoring to develop in him a taste for garlic, Conrad Thielertoff thinks he is entitled to live alone. He appeared before Deputy County Clerk Zambresky yesterday and demanded a divorce. Zambresky advised the unhappy husband that he must file a proper complaint for a legal separation, and the discontented spouse went away in search of a lawyer.

"I have plenty of money," said Conrad, who says he is a prosperous farmer of Tulare county, "but I don't like to see my wife, Mary, drink the way she does. We drink wine at our meals every day, and she has never been intoxicated, but she came to Oakland and acquired a thirst for steam beer. That was the limit. I admit that we had a quarrel before she came here a month ago. That was because she insisted upon putting garlic in everything she prepared for us to eat. I don't like garlic. She likes steam beer. I think that is sufficient ground for divorce, and I shall employ an attorney to bring suit. I have nothing against my wife except that she tries to make me eat garlic, when she eats onions and drinks steam beer. She left me for no other reason, or I think I have cause for being sore. My wife is one of the best women on earth and I hate to part with her, but she left of her own free will, and I think, so long as we can't agree, that we ought to separate. I shall consult a lawyer at once."

BEAUTIFUL COMPLEXIONS

Return this with 50 one-cent stamps or 25 one-cent stamps with the names and addresses of twenty ladies and learn how to have a lovely natural complexion as long as you live. This method is now being revealed for the first time to the general public. There are no cosmetics, bleaches, face powder, or other poisons in this method. Blackheads and discolorations disappear forever under this method. Women and girls who wish to be beautiful will be taught the simple laws of beauty, and they will learn how the most beautiful women of Paris, guided and controlled by Master Gypsy and Greek minds, appeared upon the scene, played the game of life and carried everything before them with their bright eyes and unvalued complexions.

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Science has proven that the moon has an atmosphere, which makes life in some form possible on that satellite; but not for human beings, who have a hard enough time on this earth as it is. Especially those who don't know that Electric Bitters cure Headache, Biliousness, Malaria, Chills and ever Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Disordered Liver, Kidney complaints, General Debility and Female weaknesses. Unusually as a general Tonic and Appetizer for weak persons and especially for the aged. It induces sleep. Fully guaranteed by Osgood Brothers, druggists, Seventh and Broadway and Twelfth and Washington streets. Price only 50c.

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Cast includes Underwood, Stevens, Friend, Fletcher, Cooper and a host of favorites.

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Reserved Seats, \$1.00, \$1.50 and 50c.
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Coming—DE GORZA, the Spanish Baritone.

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SOCIETY

CARD PARTIES ARE POPULAR

Number of Informal Affairs—
Walter Starr Will Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Starr will entertain next Saturday evening at a dinner to be given at the Claremont Country Club, in honor of Mrs. John Waterhouse.

Among those bidden to this affair are Mr. and Mrs. Waterhouse, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Alexander, Miss Ethel Moore, Dr. Rinehart, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Chickering, Mr. and Mrs. John Overbury, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Lundborg, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Belding and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Farr.

SURPRISE PARTY.

A surprise party was given last evening to William Smith, the local clothing dealer, who has just returned from an eastern business trip. The employees of his business and many friends besides, assembled at his residence, 518 Jones street, previously to his arrival, and upon the gentleman arriving at his pretty home, he found his legion of friends awaiting his coming, and the house prettily and artistically decorated for the occasion, consisting of evergreens and smilax, and the tables showed to advantage with crystal and candelabras and holly berries. It was truly a surprise to Mr. Smith, which showed the high regard in which he is held by his employees and his many friends. Music of a vocal and instrumental nature lent to make the evening a jolly one, and a fine repast was spread; also dancing was indulged in and games of various kinds prevailed. There were short speeches of welcome made and altogether the event was one long to be remembered. Among those that were present were Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Upright, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cowen, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Walter, Mrs. A. Barnett, Dr. J. H. Reynolds, Dr. and Mrs. A. C. McDaniell and many others. Mr. Smith returns to Oakland in the best of health after his trip, which he made one of pleasure, as well as business.

FAMILY REUNION.

Sunday, October 14, a reunion of the family of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith of 913 Fifth avenue, East Oakland, was held at the residence of Dr. K. B. Smith in San Leandro. The entire family were present, with the exception of one daughter, Mrs. J. S. Lodge and family, who reside in Ohio, and the families of L. O. Smith, who are in Alabama, and Dr. K. B. Smith, who are at present in Washington. This is the first time in thirty-three years that such a gathering of this family has been held. Dinner was served on the lawn, and a most pleasant day enjoyed by all. The following is a list of those present: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith, L. O. Smith of Bessemer, Ala., Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hukill, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. McDonell and two children, C. S. Hukill, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Dewar and child, Mr. and Mrs. V. S. Smith and



MRS. ARTHUR RICE, nee Forrest, who leaves next week for her Honolulu home after a visit here.

three children, George Smith Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shultz, John Shultz Jr., Mr. and Mrs. James Feeley and child, Miss K. W. Shultz, Miss Nellie Shultz, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. H. Smith and two children, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Smith and daughter De Etta, Dr. K. B. Smith of Quilcene, Wash., Mrs. L. M. Hollinsworth, San Francisco.

CARD CLUB.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Curtiss will entertain the East Oakland Five Hundred Club this evening at their attractive home. Among the players will be Dr. and Mrs. Ernest Boyes, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Layman, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott B. Davis, Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Boyes, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Schrock, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. M. Bull, Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Mohrmann, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Craft, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pond, and others.

SKATING CLUB.

The Wednesday evening Skating Club met last evening at the Lakeside Rink and the members enjoyed a delightful hour. This was the fifth reunion of the season, and skating continues to be as popular with society as it was last season. Half a dozen other meetings of the club are in prospect, and the members anticipate a pleasant winter. These weekly meetings held during the early hours of the evening have proved very popular.

AN ENGAGEMENT.

An engagement of wide interest is that of Miss Gladys McClung and Midshipman Nelson E. Goss, U. S. N., which was announced by Mrs. J. W. McClung, mother of the attractive bride-elect. Mrs. McClung and her daughter are visiting in San Francisco, while Midshipman Goss has just arrived on the new Cruiser Charleston, at present at Mare Island. The wedding will be a quiet event of the

near future, possibly of the week, although the exact date has not been arranged.

Mrs. McClung and Miss McClung are guests at the home of Miss Marian Huntington, on Jackson street, San Francisco.

THEATER PARTY.

Mrs. Jeanette Edmundson-Walker of Berkeley was hostess Monday evening at a dinner given at Idora Park roof garden, and theater party afterward. Among the guests were Irving Frank, Miss Bessie Markle, Gustav Blankenburg, Grover O'Connor, Harold Clark, J. A. Barclay, Frank Buck Jr., Ethel Meredith, Gertrude Neely, Cornelia Stratton, Margaret Shoecraft, Rebe Bartly, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Walker.

Others who enjoyed the first night of "Tolantine" and dinner on the roof garden were Mr. and Mrs. Roland Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Valentine, Mr. and Mrs. Harry East Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Goodfellow and many others.

SMITH-MCMULLEN.

The marriage of Miss Edna Smith and Paul McMullen was an event of last evening, solemnized at Trinity Episcopal church, in the presence of 200 friends.

The church was decorated with ferns, palms and pink blossoms, and in a floral arch at the altar the marriage service was read by Rev. Clifton Macon. The bride wore a gown of cream satin in mosseline, made with a yoke of real lace and elaborated with knots of orange blossoms and chiffon. The long tulle veil, caught with a wreath of orange blossoms, which Miss Smith's mother had worn on the occasion of her own marriage over thirty years ago, completed the costume. The bride was attended by Miss Caro

FLAGS A TRAIN TO GET WATER

Los Angeles Limited is Stopped on the Desert for Some of Precious Fluid.

CHICAGO Oct. 18.—A dispatch to the Record-Herald from Los Angeles, Cal., says:

Passengers on the Los Angeles limited of the Salt Lake railroad, who arrived in Los Angeles yesterday, told of a prospector who stopped a train running forty miles an hour in the middle of the Mojave desert by flagging it with his hat to secure water for himself and the horses. The train crew supplied them all by the bucketful as quickly as possible and started the limited on its way again. An old Nevada law which allows desert travelers who are in distress to stop trains and demand water and compel train crews to provide the needed refreshments still holds. The old prospector knew it, so did the engineer.

Mills and Miss Elsie Clifford as bridesmaids. Miss Mills wore a gown of pattern net in pale pink, and Miss Clifford wore a gown of white spangled net. They both carried bridesmaid roses.

Robert McMullen, brother of the groom, acted as best man. The ushers were Dr. Joseph Stalder, Ed. Ryder, Eugene Farnham and Sylvanus Farnham.

After the ceremony there was an informal reception, held at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, on Webster street.

Mr. and Mrs. McMullen have gone on a honeymoon trip, and on their return will reside at the Smith home until the completion of their own residence in Fruitvale.

PERSONALS.

Dr. H. L. Jones has returned from his vacation and is at his residence, 228 East Sixteenth street.

James A. Boyer has been in Martinez.

Martin Nelson has been the guest of Modesto friends.

Joseph Seaton has been spending a vacation in San Luis Obispo.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Rittigstein were recent visitors in Marysville.

J. M. Moore has been recently in Modesto.

R. P. Thompson has been in San Luis Obispo.

H. W. Hickman has been in Marysville on a business visit.

C. E. Jordan has been visiting in Sacramento.

Miss Ruth Cotterell was a recent visitor in Martinez.

A. B. Hoag was visiting in Martinez last week.

Floyd Webster is a recent guest at San Luis Obispo.

Mrs. W. W. Thompson is visiting relatives in Modesto.

Thomas A. Sweeney has been visiting in Santa Cruz.

T. J. Wayne of Fort Jones is in this city.

Byron Calhoun is visiting relatives in Placerville.

G. A. Wett is a guest at Sacramento.

G. E. Morrill has been visiting at Sacramento.

Mrs. J. M. Hadley and Miss Dahneke have been in Sacramento.

E. J. Ismert was a recent arrival in Nevada City.

John J. Wold has gone to Grass Valley.

R. H. Davis has been visiting at San Luis Obispo.

J. C. Ralph and H. W. Hickman were recently in Woodland.

Mrs. Beatrice White has been visiting in Napa.

W. S. Shain and son were recent arrivals in Woodland.

Miss Julia Brasher spent a few days recently in Ione.

Rev. G. O. Ash was a recent visitor in Orland.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stern have been visiting in Ione.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Holland are in Orland.

Mrs. W. H. Bates has returned after a visit in Orland.

Will Burns and Miss Hazel Burns were recently at San Andreas.

Mrs. Beatrice White has been visiting in Napa.

Mrs. John E. Champion has been visiting in Nevada City.

J. S. Burpee was recently the guest of his son, Walter Burpee, in Nevada City.

POOLE-CARR.

The marriage of Mrs. Irene M. Poole and Edward Carr took place today at the home of the bride's father, 1414 Ninth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Carr will spend their honeymoon in New Orleans and the southern States. The groom is in the employ of the Southern Pacific company, and the couple will reside in this city.

SOCIETY NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus Farnham, formerly Miss Evelyn Clifford, have returned after a honeymoon trip and are at the Farnham home on Fourteenth street.

General Gordon, who has been, with Mrs. Gordon, at the home of his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Upham, left a few days ago for Washington, where he was called by

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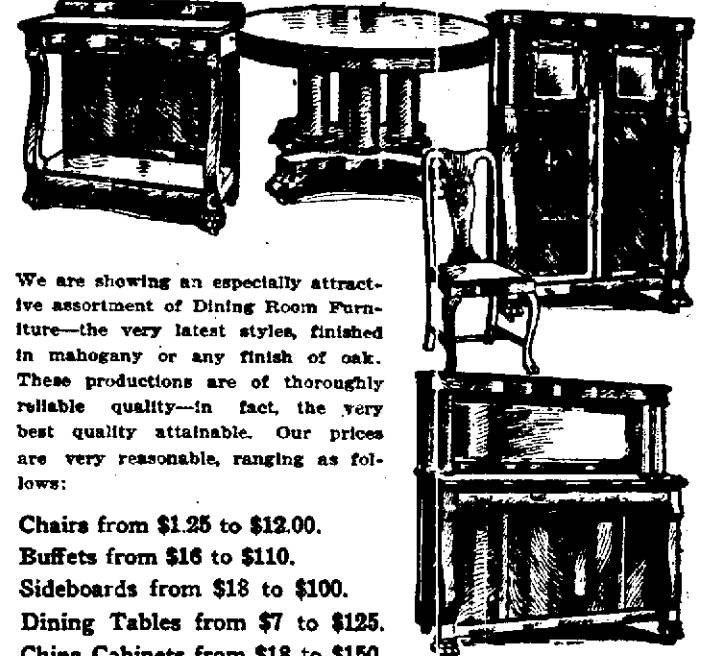
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the illness of a relative. Mrs. Gordon will remain here.

Mrs. Archibald Borland and her daughter, Mrs. Walter Hart, wife of Professor Hart of the State University, are the guests of William Borland in Mexico.

A WEDDING.

The marriage is announced of Frederick M. Roe and Miss Clara A. Breitenbucher of Stockton, which took place in this city October 17, Rev. W. T. Fleener officiated. The couple will spend their honeymoon at Pacific Grove and will return to Stockton, where the groom is engaged in business.

For your next card price. One of those miniatures of French Court beauties—very moderate in price. At GUMPS', California street, just below Van Ness.

GRANTED A DIVORCE.

Marchia Cardosey obtained a final decree of divorce from her husband, Anthony J. Cardosey, in the Superior Court this afternoon from Judge John Ellsworth, on the grounds of extreme cruelty. The couple was married September 8, 1900, in San Francisco and have one boy, George W. aged 12. The wife stated that her husband threw her on the floor. The cruelty commenced January 2, 1901. She claimed he said she was crazy and called her obscene names. The husband fled an answer denying the charges and saying that she had a violent temper and had beaten him on the head while he was in bed one night and had thrown a fork at him at the dinner table.

UNION LABOR PARTY HOLDS TWO MEETINGS

P. H. McCarthy, president of the State Building Trades Council, was unable to attend the meeting of the Union Labor party held last night in Odd Fellows hall. A similar meeting in Fruitvale drew a great many voters, but the town meeting was well attended and enthusiastic. The principal speaker was H. W. Brunk, Union Labor and Democratic nominee for Congress from the Third District.

Other speakers were Charles E. Thomas, candidate for assessor; J. E. Henderson, for coroner; J. C. Downey, for State Board of Equalization; F. C. Ryan and O. H. Vitmos of San Francisco, and F. E. Haskell, candidate for State treasurer.

JURY PONDS OVER VERDICT

Can't Decide Whether Standard Oil Is Guilty or Not.

FINDLAY, O., Oct. 18.—At 8 o'clock this morning there was no sign of a verdict from the jury in the case of the State against the Standard Oil Company for alleged conspiracies against trade. The jury was taken out to breakfast at 7 o'clock and on its return the droning sound of the argument which had come from the locked room throughout the hours of the night was heard again.

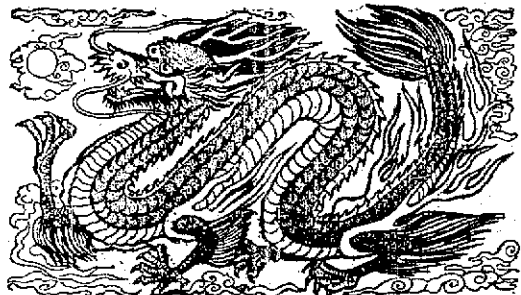
Attorneys for the defense are confident the twelve men will be unable to agree. They look for such an announcement to be made at almost any time. There will be an effort made by the State to give the jury plenty of time to endeavor to reconcile their differences. If this policy should prevail the jury may be sent back should it endeavor too early to get discharged on the plea that an agreement cannot be had.

SEARCHES FOR MOTHER. ALAMEDA, Oct. 18.—For two hours yesterday afternoon Dora Falk wandered about the streets in a search for her mother. She was unable to find her and applied at the police station for aid. Detective Brown located the missing parent in a Park street rooming house and took the daughter there.

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CONCERT IN GREEK THEATER

Third of the Series by Minetti String Quartet This Afternoon

BERKELEY Oct. 12.—The third fall concert of the Minetti String Quartet is to be given in the Greek Theater this afternoon at 3:30.

The principal feature of the program will be the clarinet quintet.

A Spalding first clarinet player in the University Orchestra will play the clarinet music. The clarinet quintet chosen for the day is by Mozart. Playing with Mr. Spalding will be the four string instruments of the Minetti Quartet. For the violin, Gullio Minetti, the concert master of the University Orchestra and Mr. Hans Koenig for the viola. Mr. Andre Verdelin and for the cello Arthur Weiss. All five will also play the variations from the quartet in A op. 15 by Beethoven and quartet in D op. 41 No. 3 by Schumann. With Beethoven's Mozart and Schumann's compositions for the day the program will be on of unusual distinction. No one at 15 years.

The choir of chamber music rendered in the Greek theater was well shown by the three given at the last half hour of music to the Beethoven Trio in C minor played by Mrs. Frank S. Weiss, the pianist, Arthur Weiss, the cellist and Arthur Weiss, the violinist. No less than 4000 people were present.

FORMER U C ATHLETE VISITS COLLEGE MEN

BERKELEY Oct. 12.—Arthur North who is now an immigration commissioner and who was the first editor of the Call, the student daily published at the State University is the guest of his fraternity brothers at the Delta Upsilon house after an extended trip through the west part of Mexico and the Lower California peninsula. He will leave in a few days for New York on a business trip.

North went to Mexico last December on a trapping tour his object being to obtain material for articles descriptive of the country that are now running in the Sunset Magazine. The first one having appeared in the October number. North in the last country and every spot that promised to produce interesting copy that would have the flavor of adventure and romance was visited by North. During most of his trip he had to depend on his own rifle for food and the hardships endured and the hair breadth escapes experienced by the literary scout make interesting reading.

In his college days North took a prominent part in athletics. In 1894 he was captain of the track team. Since leaving college he has presented several medals to men of the University who have distinguished themselves in athletics and scholarship. North's home is in Woodland where he has an extensive law practice.

An Awful Cough Cured

Two years ago our little girl had a touch of pneumonia which left her with an awful cough. She had spells of coughing just like one with the whooping cough and some thought she would not get well at all. We got a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy which acted like a charm. She stopped coughing and got stout and fat. Write Mrs. Anna Burward Brubaker, 11. This remedy is for sale by Osgood Brothers, Broadway corner of Seventh and Washington corner of Twelfth.

BURGLAR TAKES PAIR OF PANTS

Searches the Trousers and Secures \$7.50 in Money—Police Notified.

BERKELEY Oct. 12.—That daring thieves are still abroad in the College town is evident by the burglary that occurred last night at the residence of Mr. Allen 2519 Ellsworth street. Forcing the latch in a pantry window at the rear of the residence the thief entered and stole a pair of trousers belonging to Mr. Allen. The burglar did not wait to go through the trousers in the house but took them into the backyard where he noted \$7.50 from them. No clue was left on which the police may work.

PERSONAL NOTES FROM BERKELEY

BERKELEY Oct. 12.—Mrs J. L. Parker has left for a visit with friends at Ex. in Canada.

Miss Lila A. Ludwig of 2905 Durant street has gone to Pomona for the winter.

J. D. Holmes of 290 Loren street this city is visiting at Marietta Amador county.

F. L. Hubbell of 117 Shattuck avenue has removed to San Francisco.

J. P. Edwards is a student for Los Angeles on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Mrs. Frank R. Wehe is visiting with friends in the south portion of the State.

J. C. Sharp of 542 Dina street is in Chicago where she will remain for an indefinite period.

P. D. Boschart whose home is at 2905 Benvenue avenue is in Los Angeles where he will spend the winter.

The many friends of Mrs. C. E. Black of 250 Ellsworth street will be glad to hear that she is rapidly recovering from her recent illness.

Mrs. D. Mitchell and her daughter Miss Irene Mitchell of West Berkeley have gone to Genazzoli Villa, Bolinas for two weeks.

Earl Hadley of Hadley & Michelson and Edward Miller one of the crack players of the Nonpareil Bowling club are back from a four months visit to the east. They are again in their South Berkeley homes.

Roy Bollman was a recent visitor in Napa.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Rion have returned from a visit with friends in Napa. Messrs. Dean and Alie Halsey of Santa Cruz are visiting in this city and Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Duncomb have returned from a visit with friends in Petaluma.

P. M. Locke and wife of Scott's Valley were visitors here the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Barker of Redlands were called here last week by the sudden death of the latter's brother George W. Farley.

Bradley Wallace of San Francisco who has been attending the university here has decided to take up his permanent residence on this side of the bay.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. French and daughter Miss Ethel of Santa Ana have returned to their home after a two months visit in this city and various points. Mrs. Dunster sister of the former accompanied them home for a visit.

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MRS. EARL MIDDLEHOFF, First Vice-President Berkeley Parlor Native Daughters No. 150.

Joint Whist Tournament by Berkeley Native Daughters of the Golden West and Native Sons of the Golden West Promises to Be a Brilliant Affair.

BERKELEY Oct. 12.—The joint whist tournament which will be given tomorrow night by the Berkeley Parlor of Native Daughters and the local parlor of Native Sons promises to be one of the most enjoyable social events of the season.

The committee in charge has completed all arrangements and the prizes offered are costly and artistic. The affairs given by the pioneer parlor of Native Daughters have come to be regarded as among the more exclusive events in the college town society.

Among the Native Daughters who have been prominent in the arrangements for the tournament are Mrs. Frank Wehe, Miss Nettie Meek, Mrs. C. Z. Ellis, Mrs. Earl Middlehoff and Mrs. A. A. Handle.

CANDIDATES WELCOMED

Rousing Reception to Men Who Are Running for County Offices

BERKELEY Oct. 12.—The Republicans of South Berkeley turned out last night to greet and welcome the candidates on the county ticket who were present in a solid body. The Elks' quartette, with its usual quota of clever campaign songs and melodies, was present and contributed to the occasion.

Charles Thomas the candidate for Berkeley for the office of County Assessor was given an ovation of no mean proportions and all of the candidates as they were presented in turn to the big audience were enthusiastically greeted.

The judiciary on the ticket consisted of Judges W. H. Ellisworth and Osgood, were present and each was cheered by the local supporters. The others to be presented were County Clerk John P. Cook, Tax Collector James B. Barber, Treasurer M. J. Kelly, P. A. Haviland candidate for County Surveyor, George S. Pierce, candidate for County Auditor, Charles L. Tisdale candidate for County Coroner, George Prick, candidate for County Superintendent of Schools, Everett J. Brown, candidate for District Attorney, Frank Barnett, candidate to succeed himself to the office of Sheriff and others. Elmhurst will be the meeting place tonight.

STOLE LUMBER FROM IN FRONT OF HOUSE

BERKELEY Oct. 12.—Under cover of darkness 4000 feet of white cedar sheeting was stolen early yesterday morning from a pile of lumber in front of a house in course of construction near the south gate of Claremont Park. J. R. Elrod who was the possessor of the lumber up to Tuesday night, reported his loss to the police today and complained that he would be \$70 out of pocket unless the lumber was relocated.

SENIORS TO WIRE GREEK THEATER

BERKELEY Oct. 12.—The wiring of the Greek theater for the "Merry Wives of Windsor" is to be done by the seniors in the college of mechanics. Beginning this morning men to the number of twenty five will be excused from all classes until the work is finished. It is probable that three days will be required as 6000 small incandescent and three or four lights are to be installed. Students will be paid \$25 a day for their work.

10 POLICEMEN FOR BERKELEY

Such Is the Recommendation to Be Made to the Board of Trustees.

BERKELEY Oct. 12.—That ten more policemen should be immediately added to the force, which now consists of but fifteen men will be the recommendation of the police committee at the meeting of the City Board of Trustees to be held next Monday night. Owing to the many robberies and holdups that have been perpetrated in this city during the past few days, it is probable that the ten men will be placed at work without delay.

At a recent civil service examination held under the direction of the police commission ten men were found to be eligible for police duty and these will in all probability be appointed.

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ENGAGEMENT BY WIRELESS

Novel Method of Announcing Coming Marriage by Operator.

BERKELEY, Oct. 12.—The latest and most novel mode of announcing one's engagement has been set in these parts by W. R. Carroll, chief wireless operator at Goat Island, who has given to the public over the wonderful little mechanism, the wireless telegraph the news of his coming marriage to Miss Mary J. Plunkett of Berkeley.

His message is as follows: GOAT ISLAND Oct. 12.—To All Stations "MK" announces the engagement of W. R. Carroll and Miss Mary J. Plunkett of Berkeley, Cal. Marriage to occur Oct. 23.

Carroll's call letters in the navy signal code of the Marconi and Morse wireless systems are "M. K." He first met Miss Plunkett in Berkeley, following a message by wireless from Fort Mason received by him on Goat Island on the morning of April 18, 1906, informing him of the danger of a party of refugees of which Miss Plunkett was a member. The tug Vigilant was sent to rescue them, and they were conveyed to Berkeley. It was then that the couple first met, and this meeting is to culminate in their marriage next week.

The couple will spend their honeymoon in Kansas, the boyhood home of the groom-to-be, after which they will return to Berkeley to make their future home in Berkeley.

WAS THIS SHOT ONE INTENDED FOR THUG

BERKELEY, Oct. 12.—Charles Farrell of 1623 Woodley street has reported to the police that a valuable coat owned by him had been shot in the leg by some unknown person. Whether the shot that wounded the animal was a stray bullet sent after some of the suspicious persons who have been fired at by the officers in the South End during the last few nights is a mystery that remains to be solved. The coat which was valued at \$250 may now have to be killed. The horse was standing in Farrell's corral at the corner of King and California streets at the time it was shot.

BOY IS MISSING

The thirteen-year-old son of W. H. Wall of 607 East Twenty-third street has left his home and the police have been asked to locate the youth. Young Wall disappeared last Monday and his parents are anxious as to his condition and whereabouts.

ELOPE AND ARE MARRIED

Carl Wever of Alameda Takes Nellie Miller as His Bride.

ALAMEDA, Oct. 12.—Carl Wever a son of C. H. Wever, the funeral director, eloped to Redwood City with Nellie Miller on Tuesday afternoon, and after securing a marriage license was wedded to the young lady by a minister at San Mateo. Not until after the ceremony had been performed did the parents hear of the nuptials.

Young Wever has been employed as a clerk at the postoffice and on Tuesday secured a vacation. He met Miss Miller and the two boarded a train for the San Mateo city. Wever gave his age as 21 to secure the license, and the girl stated she was 18. Wever is but 19 years of age.

The parents of the couple were greatly excited when they received news of the wedding. Last night the couple returned to their home to receive the customary tiering. Mrs. Wever is a daughter of Fred Miller who but lately was appointed a United States meat inspector.

GIVE FRESHMEN CHANCE TO PLAY

Rule Shutting Them Out of the Football Game May Be Rescinded.

BERKELEY Oct. 12.—The ruling of the faculty athletic committee of California and Stanford to the effect that freshmen should be considered ineligible to the varsity football teams is likely to be rescinded as a result of the stand being taken by the faculty and students of the Palo Alto institution. Graduate Manager Snedigar said last night with regard to the proposed change.

In the meeting last year it was decided that rugby should be played this season. It was also recommended that no freshmen should be allowed to play the varsity game.

This was discussed last night, still it was thought by the faculty of the University of California that the committee's suggestion would stand and accordingly it supported the proposition. But the faculty at Stanford apparently did not approve the rule for that their 10 men will be allowed to play.

If Stanford maintains its present position it will be up to California to rescind and allow the freshmen to try for the varsity.

DOES NOT LIKE SON-IN-LAW

Relative Fires Four Times at Man Who Married His Daughter.

ALAMEDA, Oct. 12.—William Carey, a colored man, residing at 2016 Pacific avenue, does not like his son-in-law, Samuel Thompson who lives with him, and last night, about 7 o'clock when he returned to his home slightly under the influence of intoxicants he pulled a revolver from his pocket and fired four times in the direction of Thompson. Three of the shots entered the table in the kitchen where the shooting took place, and the fourth went through the roof. A spent bullet hit Mrs. Carey in the knee, but did little damage.

Thompson is afraid of his father-in-law, and when the shooting commenced he was on the sidewalk in front of the house in less than six seconds. Not until the police were summoned to handle Carey, did he enter the house.

This morning Mrs. Carey was in court to plead for her husband and asked that the judge instruct him that as long as he did not shoot at his son-in-law that he could stay at home. The case was taken under advisement and Justice Tappan will listen to the charge preferred against Carey for discharging firearms within the city limits tomorrow morning.

UNIVERSITY PLAY GIVEN SANCTION

BERKELEY, Oct. 12.—The executive committee of the Associated Students of the University of California has given its sanction for a sophomore burlesque to be held next term. The only restriction is that the accepted manuscript shall be of such standard as to meet the approval of the executive committee.

The committee in charge composed of E. A. Breckenfeld, I. R. Broughton, W. S. Wells, Z. R. Snell and C. E. Shipway, announces that the contest is now open and that all manuscripts must be handed in the first week of next term. A prize of \$25 is offered for the best burlesque. N. E. Stern has been appointed as assistant to Manager E. A. Breckenfeld.

GIVES CREDIT TO BACCUS AND CARROLL

Editor TRIBUNE—I desire to say a few words in regard to the recent trouble between the Hodcarriers and the Master Masons' Association. Now that the trouble has all been settled, and that harmony prevails again, I think it is my duty to place the honor of the settlement where it belongs. Messrs. William Baccus and M. Carroll Jr. were the first to bring about a settlement. They were magnanimous in coming to terms, and were not for their consideration of the hodcarriers, the difficulty might have lasted much longer. I desire to express the appreciation of the hodcarriers for their kind consideration of their interests. Yours truly, E. MERCER, Business Agent Laborers' Protective Association.

SALARIES OF TEACHERS UP

Increase is Made by the Alameda Board of Education in Regular Session.

ALAMEDA, Oct. 12.—The Board of Education has increased the salaries of the teachers in the different grades of the schools. The following table shows the increase.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS.
Five principals raised from \$130 per month to \$145.
One supervising teacher, Everett school, raised from \$50 to \$55.
Reciting class teachers raised from \$27 to \$30.
B first and second grades raised from \$26 to \$27.
Third and fourth grades raised from \$27 to \$28.
Fifth grade raised from \$28 to \$29.
Grammar grades raised from \$29 to \$30.
Regular substitute teachers raised from \$25 to \$27.
Supervisor of manual training raised from \$115 to \$125.
Assistant secretary, Board of Education raised from \$24 to \$26.

HIGH SCHOOL.
Salary of principal raised from \$75 to \$100.
An increase of \$5 each to heads of departments as follows:
Mathematics—May V. Haworth, making increased salary \$120.
Science—Miss Minium making increased salary \$120.
Classics—A. H. Cogswell making increased salary \$120.
English—Rose Hofffeld making increased salary \$120.
Languages—Finn M. Garretson making increased salary \$120.
History—Irving P. Outcalt making increased salary \$105.

HUSBAND LOCKS THE DOOR ON ABSENT WIFE

ALAMEDA, Oct. 12.—When Mrs. Edward Houston returned to her home at 533 Lincoln avenue on Tuesday night she found that her husband had locked the doors and that she was unable to get in.

She summoned a policeman and under instructions of the officer the obdurate husband opened the door. Officer Lawrence was the man who made the door open by his magic, but he did not remain to see how wife and hubby settled the case.

EARTHQUAKE TEXT FOR THIS SPEAKER

BERKELEY, Oct. 12.—The Civil Engineering Association of the university attended in a body the lecture given last evening by Charles Derleth Jr. professor of structural engineering on "Structural Lessons Taught by the Earthquake." Stereopticon views made from photographs taken by Professor Derleth during the catastrophe of April last were used to illustrate the lecture which was more complete than the lecture given by the Structural Association of San Francisco. An oxyacetylene stereopticon was used instead of the usual electrical machine.

ORATORY AND COOKERY MIX

Pierce University Club Gathers to Eat and Promote Candidates' Fight.

BERKELEY, Oct. 12.—A number of undergraduates working among the student body and organizing the Pierce University club met last night at the hotel board and greeted their favorite for the office of county auditor. At the table, besides the thirty-odd students, were Judge Geary of East Oakland, Charles Thomas, the university graduate now aspirant for the office of county assessor and George Dunn.

The affair partook of a love feast and speech were the order of the evening. The Pierce University club is to work in the heart of the College Town and on the campus of the State University. The name of the young East Oakland candidate, Mr. Pierce will be constantly kept before the College Town public until the very day of election. It is expected that if the student body alone sends 500 votes will go into the ballot box for George Pierce.

RAISES ROOF WITH REVOLVER

Alameda Man Fires Shots; Police Place Him in City Jail.

ALAMEDA, Oct. 12.—W. H. Carr, a colored man, started to shoot the roof off his home at 2016 Pacific avenue last night and before he could be disarmed had sent three revolver shots through the roof of the building. Chief of Police Conrad arrested the man and took him to the police station, where a charge of discharging firearms within the city limits was placed against him.

STUDENT MEETS WITH PAINFUL ACCIDENT

BERKELEY, Oct. 12.—While inspecting the machinery in the pumping station of the municipal lighting plant of Sebastopol Stephen Garbol, a former member of the class of 1906 of the University of California, met with an accident that will probably result in his death. His head came in contact with a live wire carrying 250 volts and he was thrown to the ground in an unconscious condition. He was severely burned and has a slim chance for recovery. The accident took place on the supervision of the plant.

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**MISS JANE KELTON PLAYS
LEAD IN "CHECKERS"**



JANE KELTON.

The attendance at the Macdonough theater last night picked up won-
derfully, and the indications now are that "Checkers" will have a very
successful season at the popular playhouse. Miss Jane Kelton took the
leading female role last night, and she was given a very warm reception.
Miss Kelton played at Ye Liberty for a season and was a general favorite.
She will now go on the road with "Checkers," taking the part of a young
lady who has been compelled to retire from the company on account of
illness. The "Checkers" company is well balanced and gives an excellent
performance. The play will be repeated every night this week, including
Saturday evening.

**REPUBLICANS'
BIG MEETING**

Rousing Smoker Held Last
Night Was Affair of
Campaign.

The largest Republican meeting that
has been held by the Republicans of this
county during the present campaign was
the smoker given last night at Germania
hall by the Metcalf Republican club. D.
W. Doody acted as presiding officer.
George W. Reed and Congressman Ja-
seph R. Knowland were enthusiastically
received and delivered some very in-
teresting speeches. The principal speaker
of the evening was Attorney George W.
Reed, former district attorney of Alameda
county, who championed the cause of
J. N. Gillett for Governor and insisted
that every voter should cast his ballot for
the straight Republican ticket. Reed-
raising, caucuses greeted Congressman
Knowland, who spoke for the whole
ticket. Others who spoke were Hon. F.
W. Lewis, Assemblyman Philip M.
Walsh, County Clerk John P. Cook,
Sheriff Frank Barnett, Tax Collector
James B. Barber, George S. Pierce, M.
J. Kelly, Judge T. W. Harris, Super-
visor J. M. Kelley, Charles Thomas,
George W. Frick, Judge James G. Quinn
and Judge Mortimer Smith.
Judge H. A. Melvin was in the audi-
ence and responded to a call by singing
a song, and in his popular manner, en-
tertained the voters with a few stories.
This is the first appearance of Judge
Melvin in the campaign and the greet-
ings and applause that were extended to
him were enough to make one believe
that Harry Melvin was the most popular
man in the county.
A musical and literary program was
rendered as follows:
Song, Judge H. A. Melvin; song, W.
Hoffmann; vocal solo, T. Volz; vocal
solo, J. F. McVey; song, Emil Connor;
solo, Frank Figue; comic specialty,
Robert Thorne; monologue, Milton S.
Schwartz; song, E. Iverson; song, G.
Wilson; solo, P. Fuller; specialties, Ro-
bert Hayes and Burnett; banjo solo, Wal-
ter Kelly; song, Matt Canavan.

READY FOR OCCUPANCY.

NEW YORK, Oct. 18.—The hall of re-
cords, the city's \$12,000,000 office palace,
just six years behind the promised date
of completion, is at last ready for oc-
cupancy. Three county and city de-
partments yesterday moved their books
and records into the building, and the huge
mass of stone steel and bronze at
Chambers and Center streets, furnished
at a cost of nearly \$3,000,000, became the
headquarters of county and municipal
officials.

**CLOSING DAY
OF CONFERENCE**



EDWARD JAMES.

Many Interesting Addresses En-
liven Last Hours of
Gathering.

One of the special features of the mis-
sionary conference yesterday afternoon
was the children's hour, under the direc-
tion of J. H. Laughlin. Children from
the Presbyterian home, formerly of San
Francisco; the Methodist school of
Chinese of Oakland, and the Japanese
school of Oakland, were present. Most
of these children were dressed in becom-
ing American costumes, but the Japanese
and Koreans were beautifully gowned in
their native dress.

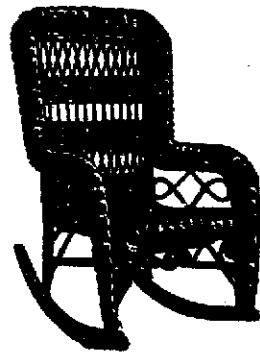
The first on the program was the Pres-
byterian Chinese, who sang a song, and
one of the small boys recited. Then fol-
lowed the Chinese boys from the Baptist mis-
sion sang, "Hark, 'Tis the Shepherd
Hear," and a boy recited "God Loves
the Boys." A quartette of girls from the
Methodist mission sang softly, "Abide
With Me." These three little tots from
the same school made their bow and re-
cited the twenty-third Psalm.
The surprise of the afternoon came
when a 6-year-old Chinese boy lined up
seven Chinese girls and directed them
like a choir master while they sang
"Singing as We Go." The quartette of
girls sang "Under His Wing," and Jap-
anese and Korean children from the
Methodist school of San Francisco then
gave a motion song, and one of the Jap-
anese girls sang in her own language.
The program concluded with a trio,
"Oh, Why Stand Here Idle" by Chinese
girls from the Presbyterian home. Rev.
Soo Hoo Nam Art pronounced the ben-
ediction.

EVENING SESSION.
There was a large attendance at the
evening meeting and the addresses were
strong and enthusiastic. Miss Carolyn
Evans Yang, Chinese, an outgoing mis-
sionary, presented the needs and oppor-
tunities of Christian work in that coun-
try, and Rev. Ng Poon Chew, editor of
the Chinese daily newspaper of Oakland,
presented the opportunity and obligations
the Christian has in the new China that
is now awakening.

SUNRISE PRAYER.
At 7 o'clock this morning the day's
work began. The sunrise prayer meeting
was conducted by William B. Hunt of
Evangelical Yang China, an outgoing mis-
sionary. Every hour through the day a new
leader took charge of the prayer meeting.
The morning session opened under the
topic, "Study, Pray, Give, Go." Rev. C.
S. Nash, Pacific Theological seminary,
was the presiding officer. The speakers
discussed the following topics: "Gospel's
Sake," Rev. E. P. Dennett, "The Power
of Prayer," Rev. J. A. Fraser, "Interces-
sory Missionaries," Rev. E. F. Sargent,
"A Mission Study Campaign," Rev. E.
Sargent is now conducting mission
study classes in San Francisco.
FORCES AT WORK.
The afternoon session, under the sub-
ject, "The Forces at Work," considered
the following topics: "Four Great Questions," Rev. O. St.
John Scott; "The Young People's Op-
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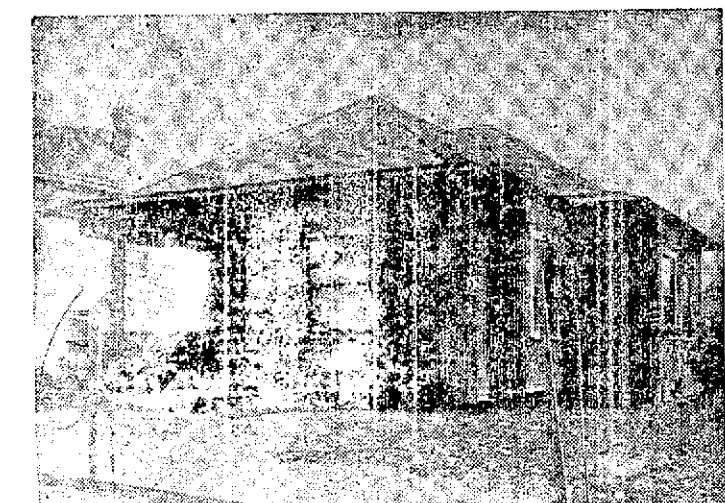
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BOSTON, Oct. 18.—The actual busi-
ness of the triennial convention of the
world's W. C. T. U. in this city was be-
gun today. An early forenoon devotional
service in the Park-street church was
followed by the opening of the convention
proper in Tremont temple, the delegates
being called to order by Mrs. Lillian M.
N. Stevens of Portland, Maine, vice-
president at large of the world's W. C.
T. U.
The president, Lady Henry Somerset,
being detained at home by illness, Mrs.
Stevens will preside throughout the con-
vention. The program provided that
Governor Guild should extend the wel-
come of the State and Mayor Fitzgerald
that of the city, before the roll call of
members. The remainder of the day
was to be taken up with organization
and the reports of officers, committees
and missionaries.

VALLEJO, Oct. 18.—After six
months of the most bitterly contested
deadlock in the long and eventful
political career of Vallejo, Mayor Mad-
igan succeeded last evening in getting
the scalp of City Engineer "Pete"
Kaarsberg, the former University of
California football star.
In the place of the former Berkeley
man, ex-City Engineer A. F. Noyes
was chosen by a vote of 3 to 2 in the
board of city trustees. Kaarsberg was
given office nearly three years ago
by the Roney administration and held
on six months after his term had ex-
pired despite every endeavor to dis-
lodge him, until last evening. Kaars-
berg, through his close affiliation with
Roney, was particularly obnoxious to
Madigan and his supporters and the
ousting of him was the cause of much
gossip. It was charged that Kaarsberg
was incompetent, but politics solely
are to blame for his removal, as
Noyes, who is a Republican, was a
strong Madigan worker in the spring
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